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EVER  
JOKES”

*Fun for all the family*

What's the fastest  
cake in the World?  
Meriiiiiiiiiiiiiiiiiiingue!

What's your new  
dog's name?  
Dunno - he  
won't tell me

What do you do  
if you see a man  
with a beach  
on his head?

Wave

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# Funny Families



"Dad, when I get old, will the calves of my legs be cows?"



"My dad thinks he wears the trousers in our house – but it's always mum who tells him which pair to put on."

Girl: "Do you know what family the octopus belongs to?"

Boy: "No one in our street."



"Doctor, doctor, my son's just swallowed some gunpowder!"

"Well, don't point him at me."



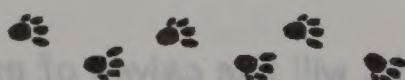
"Doctor, doctor, Cuthbert keeps biting his nails!"

"That's not serious in a child."

"But Cuthbert bites his toe nails."



"My sister is so stupid she thinks that aroma is someone who travels a lot."

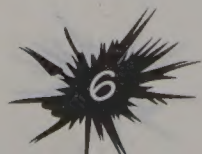


George is the type of boy that his mother wouldn't want him to associate with...



"My Mother uses lemon juice for her complexion."

"Maybe that's why she always looks so sour."



"My girlfriend talks so much that when she goes on holiday, she has to spread suntan lotion on her tongue."



When Wally Wallace proposed to his girlfriend she said:

"I love the simple things in life, Wally, but I don't want one of them for a husband."



1st Cannibal: "My dad's so tough he can kill crocodiles with his bare hands."

2nd Cannibal: "My dad's so tough it took six hours in the microwave to cook him."

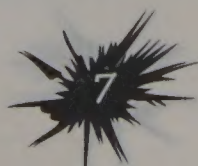


"I told my dad I needed an encyclopedia for school and he said I'd have to walk just like everyone else."



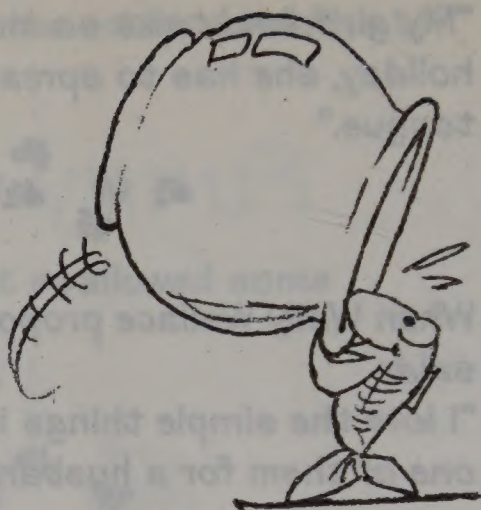
"Mummy, mummy, why do you keep poking Daddy in the ribs?"

"If I don't, the fire will go out."



"Doctor, doctor,  
my husband  
smells like a fish."

"Poor sole!"



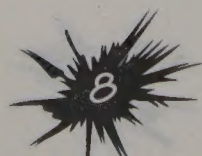
Was the carpenter's son  
a chip off the old block?

"My dad is so short-sighted he can't get to sleep  
unless he counts elephants."

A man who forgets his wife's birthday is certain to  
get something to remember her by.

What is small, pink and wrinkly, and belongs to  
Grandpa?

Grandma.



Did you hear about the time Eddy's sister tried to make a birthday cake?

The candles melted in the oven.



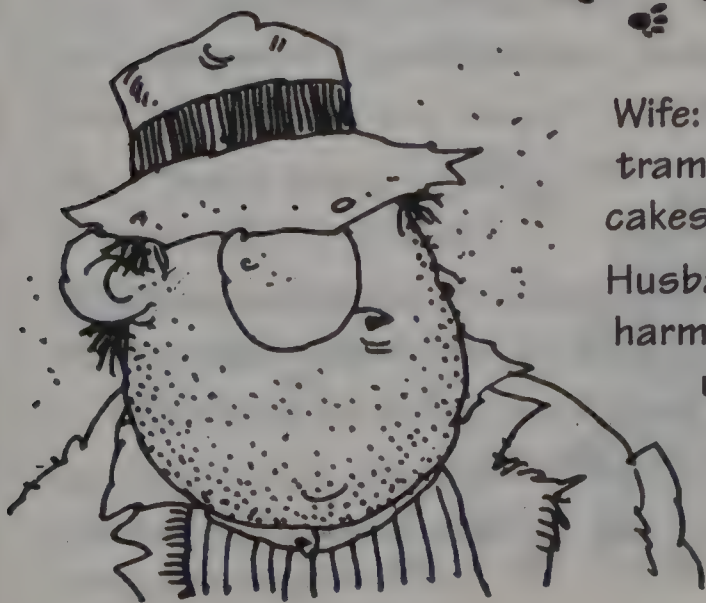
"My dad is rather tired this morning. Last night he dreamed he was working."



"My uncle spent a fortune on deodorants before he found out that people didn't like him anyway."



My uncle is the meanest man in the world. He recently found a crutch – then he broke his leg so he could use it.



Wife: "Shall I give that tramp one of my cakes?"

Husband: "Why, what harm has he ever done us?"

"I reckon Mum must be at least 30 years old – I counted the rings under her eyes."



"My sister thinks that a juggernaut is an empty beer mug."



Janet came home from school and asked her mother if the aerosol spray in the kitchen was hair lacquer.

"No," said Mum. "It's glue."

"I thought so," said Janet. "I wondered why I couldn't get my hat off today."



Eddy's father called up to him: "Eddy, if you don't stop playing that trumpet I think I'll go crazy."

"I think you are already," replied Eddy. "I stopped playing half an hour ago."



One day Bob's mother turned to Bob's father and said, "It's such a nice day, I think I'll take Bob to the zoo."

"I wouldn't bother," said Bob's father. "If they want him, let them come and get him."



Jane's father decided to take all the family out to a restaurant for a meal. As he'd spent quite a lot of money for the meal he said to the waiter, "Could I have a bag to take the leftovers home for the dog?"  
"Gosh!" exclaimed Jane. "Are we getting a dog?"



Beautician: "Did that mud pack I gave you for your wife improve her appearance?"

Man: "It did for a while – then it fell off."



Jim: "Our dog is just like one of the family."

Fred: "Which one?"



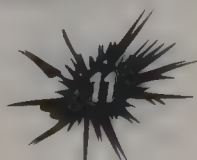
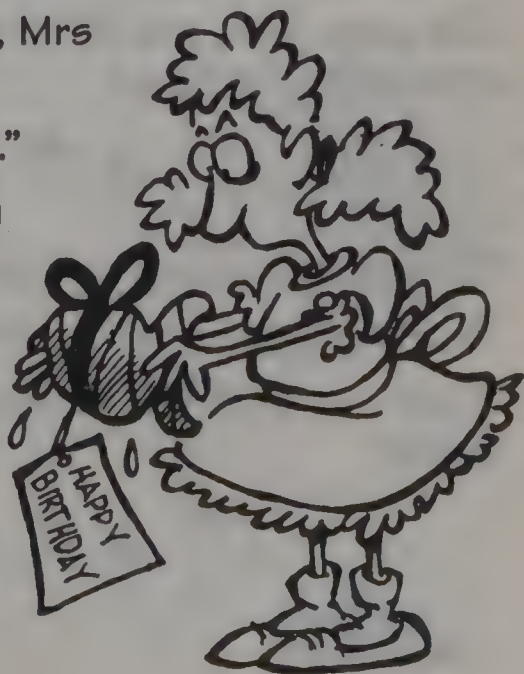
Girl: "Did you like that cake, Mrs Jones?"

Mrs Jones: "Yes, very much."

Girl: "That's funny. My mum said you didn't have any taste."



My sister is so silly she thinks that a cartoon is a song you sing in a car.



Did you hear about the florist who had two children?  
One's a budding genius and the other's a blooming  
idiot.



Did you hear about the granny who plugged her  
electric blanket into the toaster by mistake?  
She spent the night popping out of bed.

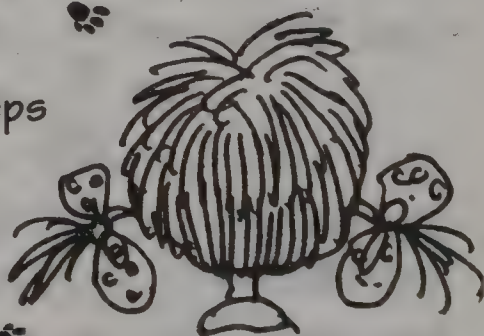


"My mother is so silly that she thinks a string  
quartet is four people playing tennis."



"Mummy, Mummy, teacher keeps  
saying I look like a werewolf."

"Be quiet, dear, and go  
and comb your face."



"Doctor, doctor, my wife thinks she's a duck."

"You better bring her in to see me straight away."

"I can't do that – she's already flown south for the  
winter."



Just before the Ark set sail, Noah saw his two sons fishing over the side. "Go easy on the bait, lads," he said. "Remember I've only got two worms."



Cannibal boy: "I've brought a friend home for dinner."

Cannibal mum: "Put him in the fridge and we'll have him tomorrow."



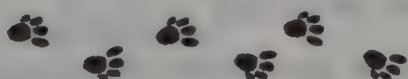
"Jimmy, how many more times must I tell you to come away from that biscuit barrel?"

"No more, Mum. It's empty."



First cannibal woman: "I just don't know what to make of my husband these days."

Second cannibal woman:  
"How about a curry?"



My auntie has a sore throat.  
What should she do?

Take auntie-septic.



"My mum is a beautiful redhead – no hair, just a red head."



Father: "Would you like a pocket calculator for Christmas, son?"

Danny: "No thanks, Dad. I know how many pockets I've got."



Why is a complaining brother the easiest to satisfy?  
Because nothing satisfies him.



Woman: "If you were my husband I'd poison your coffee."

Man: "And if you were my wife, I'd drink it."



"Joan, pick up your feet when you walk."

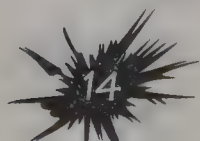
"What for, Mum? I've only got to put them down again."



"My brother's been practising the violin for ten years."

"Is he any good?"

"No. It was nine years before he found out he wasn't supposed to blow it."



At the seaside Mum waxed all lyrical at the beauty of the sunset over the sea.

"Doesn't the sun look wonderful setting on to the horizon?" she breathed.

"Yes," said young Sammy, "and there won't half be a fizz when it touches the water!"



"What did you get for Christmas?"

"A mouth organ. It's the best present I ever got."

"Why?"

"My mum gives me 50 pence a week not to blow it."



At a party, a magician was producing egg after egg from a little boy's ear.

"There!" he said proudly. "I bet your mum can't produce eggs without hens, can she?"

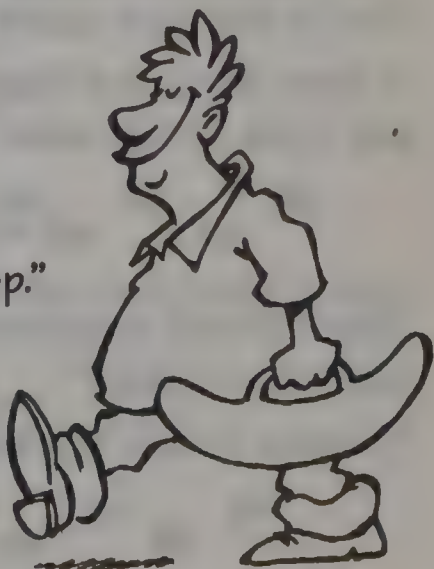
"Oh yes, she can," said the boy, "she keeps ducks."



"My brother's just opened a shop."

"Really? How's he doing?"

"Six months. He opened it with a crowbar."



"Mum, you know that vase that was handed down from generation to generation?"

"Yes."

"Well, this generation's dropped it."



"My uncle's got a wooden leg."

"That's nothing. My auntie has a wooden chest."



There once was a writer named Wright,

Who instructed his son to write right;

He said, "Son, write Wright right.

It's not right to write

Wright as 'rite' – try to write Wright all right!"



"You've got your socks on inside out."

"I know, Mum, but there are holes on the other side."



"How did your mum know you hadn't washed your face?"

"I forgot to wet the soap."



"Dad, is an ox a sort of male cow?"

"Sort of, yes."

"And equine means something to do with horses, doesn't it?"

"That's right."

"So what's an equinox?"



"What's the matter?" one man asked another.

"My wife left me when I was in the bath last night," sobbed the second man.

"She must have been waiting for years for the chance," replied the first.



"Don't eat the biscuits so fast – they'll keep."

"I know, but I want to eat as many as I can before I lose my appetite."



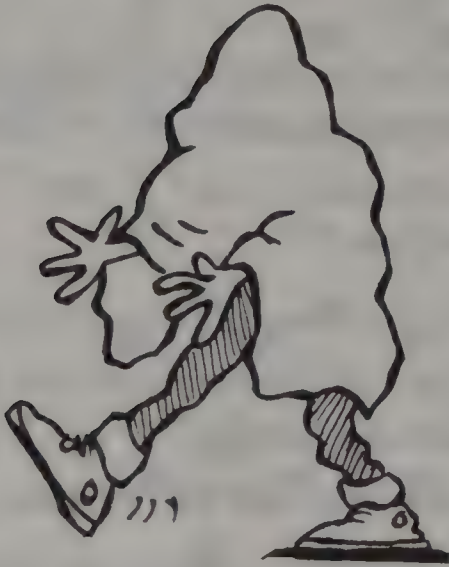
Visitor: "You're very quiet, Jennifer."

Jennifer: "Well, my mum gave me 50 pence not to say anything about your red nose."





# Idiots



Did you hear about the sailor who was discharged from the submarine service?

He was caught sleeping with the windows open.

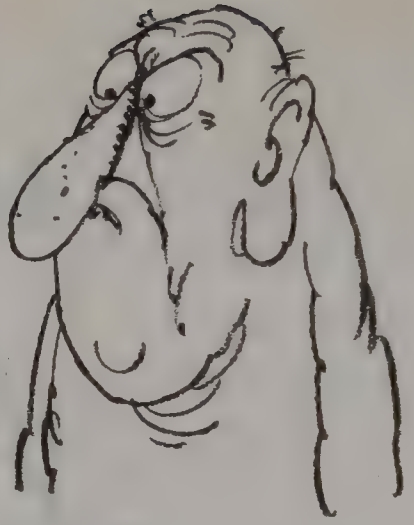


Why did the stupid sailor grab a bar of soap when his ship sank?

He thought he could wash himself ashore.

Did you hear about the stupid motorist who always drove his car in reverse?

It was because he knew the town backwards.



"Can you stand on your head?"

"I've tried, but I can't get my feet up high enough."



How do you confuse an idiot?

Give him two spades and ask him to take his pick.



A stupid bank robber rushed into a bank, pointed two fingers at the clerk and said: "This is a muck up."

"Don't you mean a stick up?" asked the girl.

"No," said the robber, "it's a muck up. I've forgotten my gun."



What happened to the man who couldn't tell the difference between porridge and putty?

All his windows fell out.



Doctor: "And did you drink your medicine after your bath, Mrs Soap?"

Mrs Soap: "No, doctor. By the time I'd drunk the bath there wasn't room for the medicine."



Did you hear about the idiotic goalkeeper who saved a penalty but let it in on the action replay?



"When I was at school I was as smart as the next fellow."

"What a pity the next fellow was such an idiot."



Why did the idiots' tug o' war team lose the match?  
They pushed.

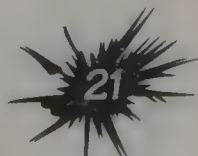


A man went into the local department store where he saw a sign on the escalator – "Dogs must be carried on this escalator." The silly man then spent the next two hours looking for a dog.



Did you hear about the idiot who received a new boomerang for his birthday?

He spent two days trying to throw the old one away.



How does an idiot call for his dog?

He puts two fingers in his mouth and then shouts  
"Rover."



Teacher: "At which battle did Nelson die?"

Not-such-an idiot: "His last one."



"Why are you covered in bruises?"

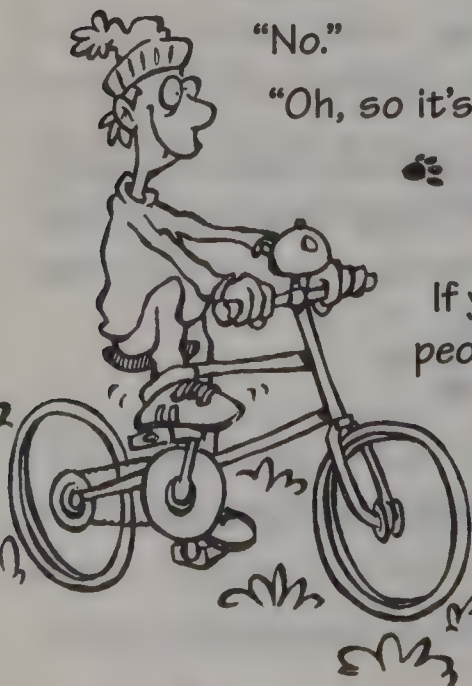
"I started to walk through a revolving door and then I  
changed my mind."



"Did you hear about the fool who keeps going round  
saying 'no'?"

"No."

"Oh, so it's you!"



If you watch the way that many  
people bicycle, you will soon reach  
the conclusion that the  
most dangerous part of  
a bike is the nut  
behind the handlebar.

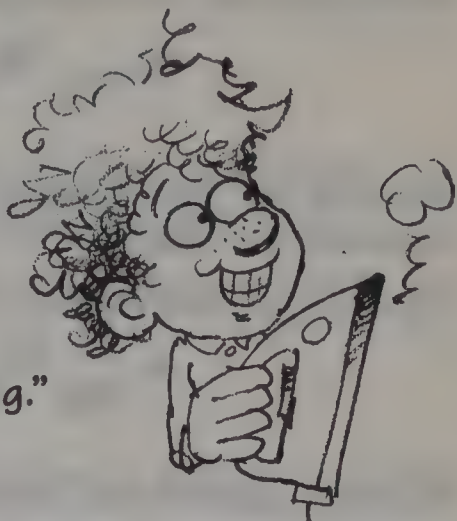
Did you hear about the karate expert who joined the army?

When he saluted he nearly killed himself.



"How do you make someone burn his ear?"

"Ring him up when he is ironing."



"I can't understand the critics saying that only an idiot would like that television programme. I really enjoyed it."



How do you keep a stupid person happy for hours?  
Give him a piece of paper with PTO written on both sides.



It's obvious that animals are cleverer than humans.  
Put eight horses in a race and 20,000 people will go along to see it. But put eight people in a race and not one horse will bother to go along and watch.



Did you hear about the idiot who hijacked a submarine?  
He demanded a million pounds and a parachute.



Why did the idiot give up his attempt to cross the  
Channel on a plank?

He couldn't find a plank that was long enough.



A stupid glazier was examining a broken window. He  
looked at it for a while and then said: "It's worse  
than I thought. It's broken on both sides."



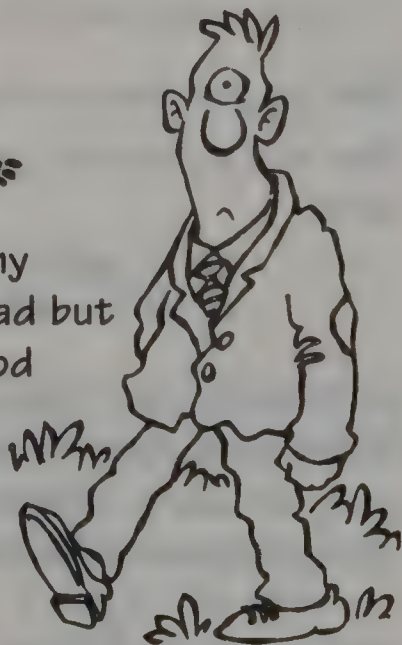
Why did the robot act stupid?

Because he had a screw loose.



Why is it that when I stand on my  
head the blood rushes to my head but  
when I stand on my feet the blood  
doesn't rush to my feet?

You're feet aren't empty.



Did you hear about the man who tried to iron his curtains?  
He fell out of the window.

"My friend is so silly that he thinks twice before saying nothing."



Did you hear about the two little boys who found themselves in a modern art gallery by mistake?

"Quick," said one. "Run, before they say we did it!"



Did you hear about the idiot who had a new bath put in?

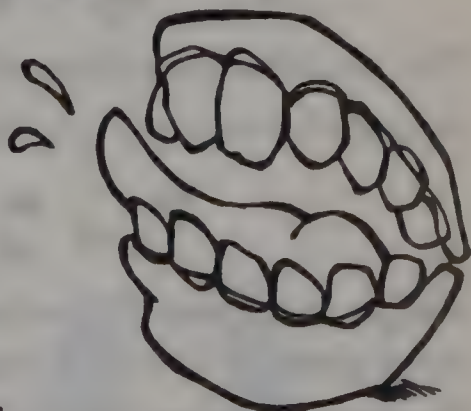
The plumber said, "Would you like a plug for it?"

The idiot replied, "Oh, I didn't know it was electric."



What happened to the idiot who put his false teeth in backwards?

He ate himself!



"Why did you drop the baby?"

"Well, Mrs Smith said he was a bonny, bouncing baby, so I wanted to see if he did."



What do you get when you cross an idiot with a watch?

A cuckoo clock.

Wilberforce Witherspoon saw a notice outside a police station which read: MAN WANTED FOR ROBBERY. So he went in and applied for the job!



Did you hear about the stupid photographer?  
He saved burned-out light bulbs for use in his darkroom.



What happened when the idiot  
had a brain transplant?  
The brain rejected him.



Did you hear about the village idiot buying bird seed?  
He said he wanted to grow some birds.



Did you hear about the boy who got worried when his  
nose grew to 11 inches long?  
He thought it might turn into a foot.



Why did Silly Sue throw her guitar away?  
Because it had a hole in the middle.



A man out for a walk came across a little boy pulling his cat's tail. "Hey, you!" he called. "Don't pull the cat's tail!"

"I'm not pulling!" replied the little boy. "I'm only holding on – the cat's doing the pulling!"



Why did the lazy idiot apply for a job in a bakery?  
He fancied a long loaf.



"You must think I'm a perfect idiot."

"No, you're not perfect."



Why do idiots eat biscuits?

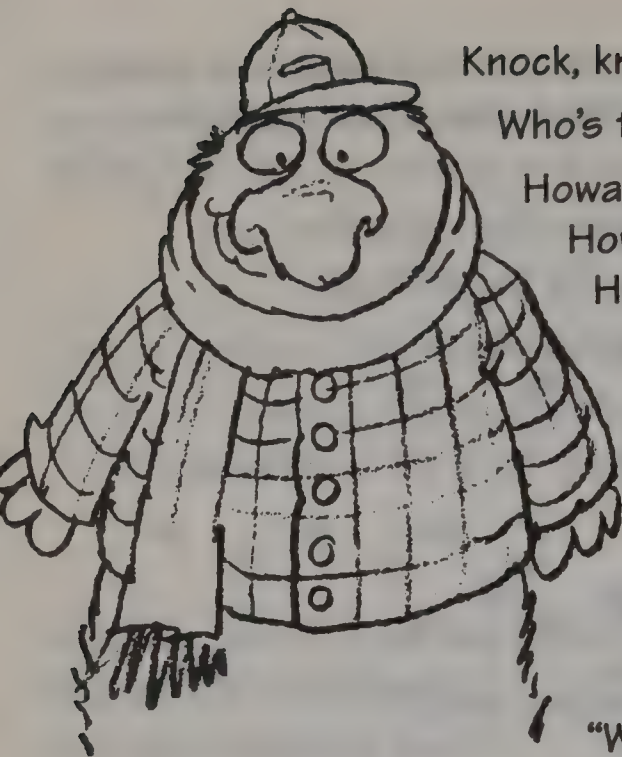
Because they're crackers.



Did you hear about the  
stupid tap dancer?

He fell in the sink.





Knock, knock.

Who's there?

Howard.

Howard who?

Howard you like to stand  
out here in the cold  
while some idiot  
keeps saying "Knock,  
knock. Who's  
there...?"



"Why are you laughing?"

"My silly dentist just pulled one of my teeth out."

"I don't see much to laugh about in that."

"Ah, but it was the wrong one!"



"What do you mean by telling everyone I'm an idiot?"

"I'm sorry. I didn't know it was supposed to be a  
secret."



At the scene of a bank raid the policeman came  
running up to the officer and said, "He got away, sir!"

The officer was furious. "But I told you to put a man on  
all the exits!" he roared. "How could he have got away?"

"He left by one of the entrances, sir!"



"What do you think of this photograph of me?"

"It makes you look older, frankly."

"Oh well, it'll save the cost of having another one taken later on."



Why did the idiot have his sundial floodlit?

So he could tell the time at night.



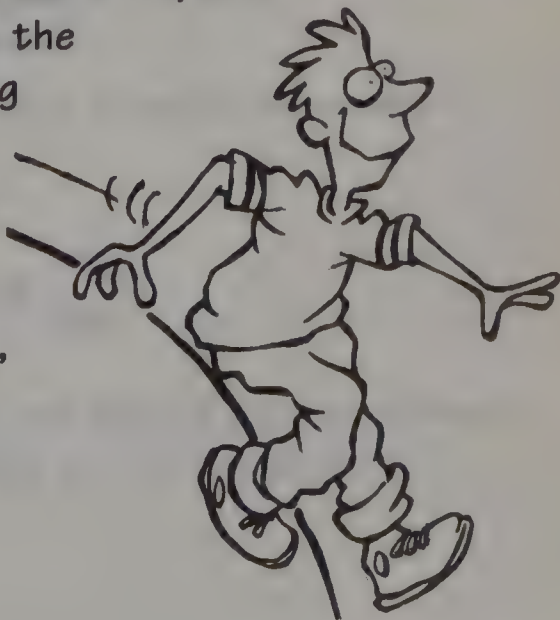
He's so stupid he thinks Camelot is where Arabs park their camels.



A man in a swimming pool was on the very top diving board. He poised, lifted his arms, and was about to dive when the attendant came running up, shouting,

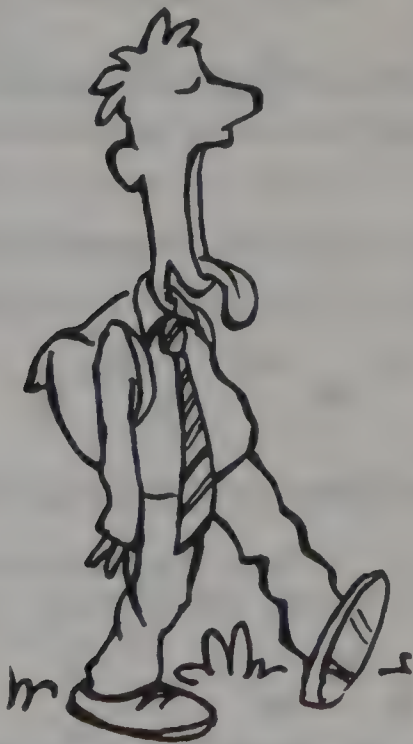
"Don't dive – there's no water in that pool!"

"That's all right," said the man. "I can't swim!"





# *In the Classroom*



What's the most important thing to remember in chemistry?

Never lick the spoon.



"When you leave school, you should become a bone specialist. You've certainly got the head for it."

Charlie: "Do you have holes in your underpants?"

Teacher: "No, of course not."

Charlie: "Then how do you get your feet through?"



"Did you thank Mrs Pillbeam for teaching you today?"  
Alec's mum asked him when he came home from school.

"No I didn't. Mary in front of me did and Mrs Pillbeam said, 'Don't mention it,' so I didn't."



Some people say the school cook's cooking is out of this world.

Most pupils wish it was out of their stomachs.



"At my piano teacher's last performance the audience cheered and cheered. The piano was locked!"



"Please, Sir! Please, Sir! Why do you keep me locked up in this cage?"

"Because you're the teacher's pet."

Science teacher: "Can you tell me one substance that conducts electricity, Jane?"

Jane: "Why, er..."

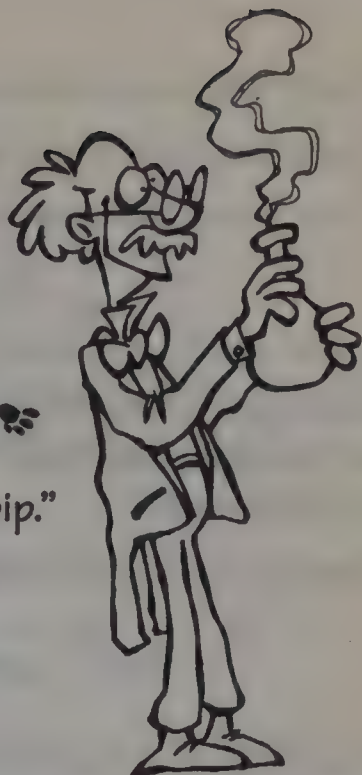
Science teacher: "Wire is correct."



Carol: "Our teacher gives me the pip."

Darryl: "What's her name?"

Carol: "Miss Lemmon."



What did the bookworm say to the school librarian?

"Can I burrow this book please?"



Why is a pencil the heaviest thing in your satchel?

Because it's full of lead.



Mrs Jones: "Well, Billy, how are you getting along with your trampolining lessons?"

Billy: "Oh, up and down, you know."



Bob: "Our teacher is very musical you know."

Ben: "Musical? Mr Jenkinson?"

Bob: "Yes. He's always fiddling with his beard."

Biology teacher: "What kinds  
of birds do we keep  
in captivity?"

Janet: "Jail birds, Miss!"

Teacher: "Are you good at arithmetic?"

Mary: "Well, yes and no."

Teacher: "What do you mean, yes and no?"

Mary: "Yes, I'm no good at arithmetic."

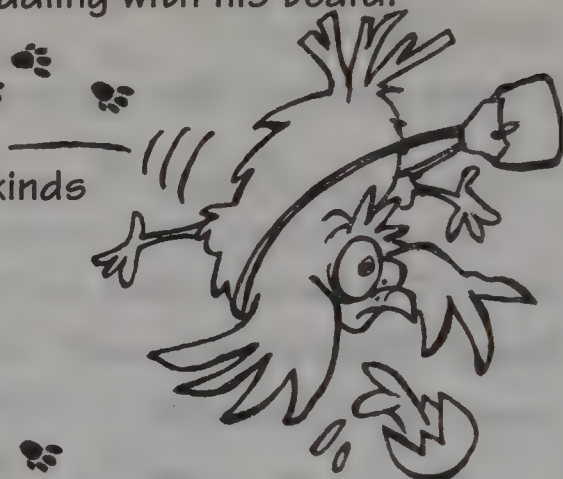
Teacher: "Dennis! When you yawn you should put your  
hand to your mouth."

Dennis: "What, and get it bitten?"

Mandy: "Our teacher went on a special banana diet."

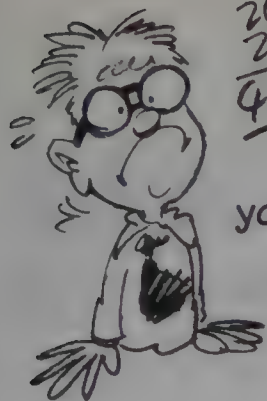
Andy: "Did she lose weight?"

Mandy: "No, but she couldn't half climb trees well!"



Why is a classroom like an old car?

Because it's full of nuts and has a crank at the front.



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you get?"

Jim: "The wrong answer."

Teacher: "If you add  
20,567 to 23,678  
and then divide by 97 what do

When is a blue school book not a blue school book?

When it is read.

When is an English teacher like a judge?

When she hands out long sentences.

Teacher: "Why do you want to work in a bank, Alan?"

Alan: "Cos there's money in it, Miss."

Teacher: "Who was that on the phone, Samantha?"

Samantha: "No one important, Miss. Just some man  
who said it was long distance from Australia, so I  
told him I knew that already."

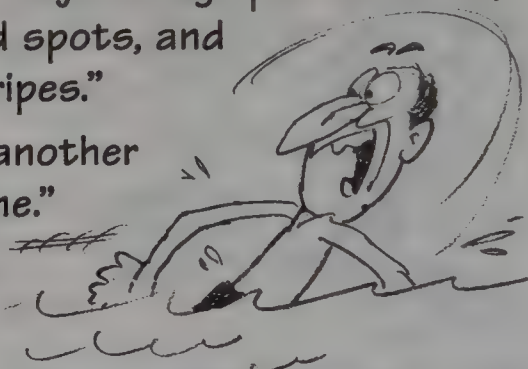
What's black and white and horrible?

A maths examination paper.



Teacher: "You're wearing a very strange pair of socks, Darren. One's blue with red spots, and one's yellow with green stripes."

Darren: "Yes, and I've got another pair just the same at home."



What do you call a teacher floating in the sea?

Bob.



Teacher: "Eat up your roast beef, it's full of iron."

Dottie: "No wonder it's so tough."



Teacher: "And did you see the Catskill Mountains on your visit to America?"

Jimmy: "No, but I saw them kill mice."



Charlie: "Our school is so old I don't know what stops it from falling down."

Edward: "Maybe the woodworm hold hands."



Jim turned up for football practice clutching a large broom.

"What's that for?" asked the coach.

"You said I was going to be sweeper today."



Geography teacher: "What mineral is exported from America?"

Daft Darren: "Coca-Cola!"



Teacher: "How many make a dozen?"

Boy: "Twelve."

Teacher: "Correct. And how many make a million?"

Boy: "Dad says very few."

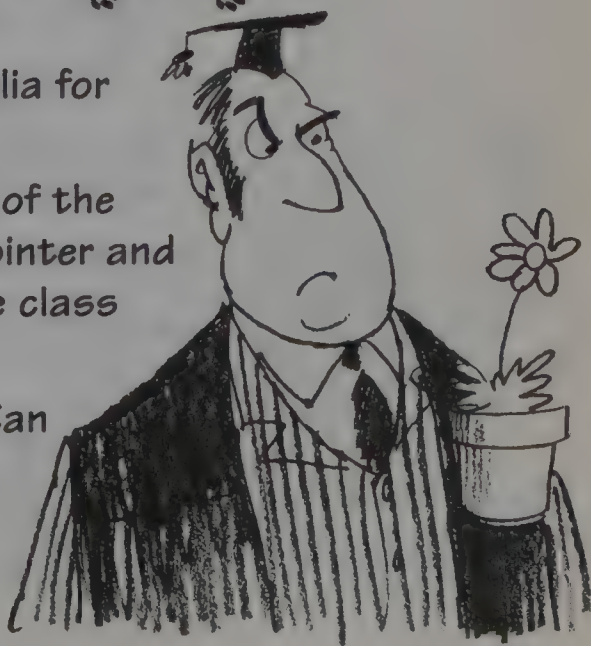


"Ann! Point out Australia for me on the map."

Ann went to the front of the class, picked up the pointer and showed the rest of the class where Australia was.

"Well done! Now, Jim! Can you tell us who discovered Australia?"

"Er... Ann, Miss?"

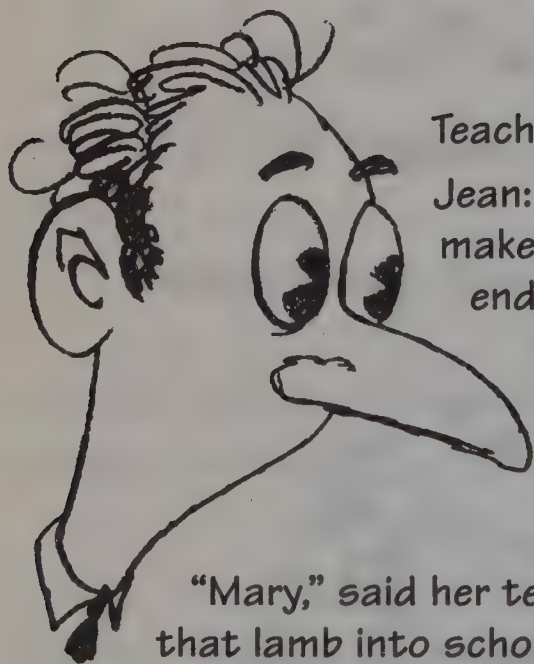


Teacher: "You weren't at school last Friday, Robert. I heard you were out playing football."

Robert: "That's not true, Sir. And I've got the cinema tickets to prove it."



I'm not saying our teacher's fat, but every time she falls over she rocks herself to sleep trying to get back up.



Teacher: "Jean, define a baby."

Jean: "A soft pink thing that makes a lot of noise at one end and has no sense of responsibility at the other."



"Mary," said her teacher. "You can't bring that lamb into school. What about the smell?"

"Oh, that's all right, Miss," said Mary. "It'll soon get used to it."



Why is the school swot like quicksand?  
Because everything in school sinks into him.

I used to be thin.  
Now I'm thinner.  
So would you be  
With our school dinner.



Two schoolboys were talking about their arithmetic lessons.

"Why do you suppose we stop the tables at 12?" asked one.

"Oh, don't you know," said the other. "I heard Mum say it was unlucky to have 13 at table."



"Teacher is a bore!" was scrawled on the blackboard one day.

"I do not want to see that on my blackboard," the teacher thundered when he saw it.

"Sorry, Sir! I didn't realise you wanted it kept secret."



Harry: "Please may I have another pear, Miss?"

Teacher: "Another, Harry? They don't grow on trees, you know."



"Lie flat on your backs, class, and circle your feet in the air as if you were riding your bikes" said the gym teacher.

"Luke! What are you doing? Move your feet, boy."

"I'm freewheeling, Sir."



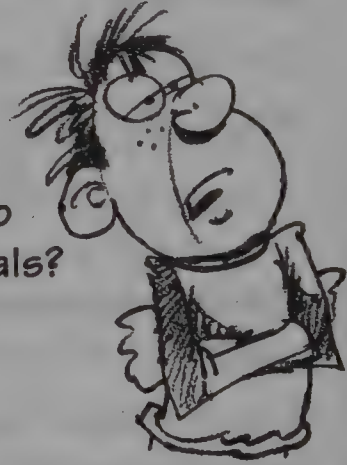
"Jack," groaned his father when he saw his son's school report. "Why are you so awful at geography?"

"It's the teacher's fault, Dad. He keeps telling us about places I've never heard of."



Did you hear about the schoolboy who just couldn't get to grips with decimals?

He couldn't see the point.



"Why are you crying, Jim?" asked the teacher.

"Cos my parrot died last night. I washed it in Persil."

"Jim," said the teacher. "You must have known that Persil's bad for parrots."

"Oh it wasn't the Persil that killed it, Sir. It was the spin drier."



What's the difference between a railway guard and a teacher?

One minds the train, the other trains the mind.

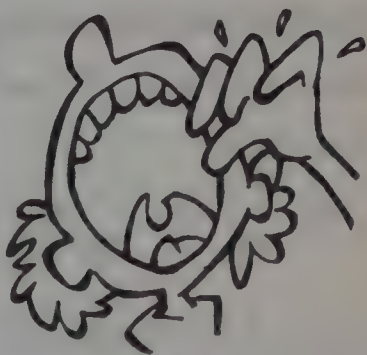


"Ben," said the religious education teacher, "you've written here that Samson was an actor. What makes you think that?"

"Well, Sir," said Ben, "I read that he brought the house down."



Why did the singing teacher have such a high-pitched voice?  
She had falsetto teeth.



"And what might your name be?" the school secretary asked the new boy.

"Well it might be Cornelius, but it's not. It's Sam."



What happened to the baby chicken that misbehaved at school?

It was eggspelled.



Why don't centipedes play football?

Because by the time they've got their boots on it's time to go home.



Teacher: "Can anyone tell me what a shamrock is?"

Jimmy: "It's a fake diamond, Miss."



"Ann," said the dancing mistress. "There are two things stopping you becoming the world's greatest ballerina."

"What are they, Miss?" asked Ann.

"Your feet."



Why did the football teacher give his team lighters?

Because they kept losing all their matches.



Why was the principal not pleased when he bumped into an old friend?

They were both driving their cars at the time.



"That's an excellent essay for someone your age," said the English teacher.

"How about for someone my mum's age, Miss?"



"Well, children," said the cannibal cookery teacher.

"What did you make of the new English teacher?"

"Burgers, Miss."



What's the difference between school dinners and a bucket of fresh manure?

School dinners are usually cold.



Teacher: "Are you really going to leave school, Ben, or are you just saying that to brighten my day?"



Why are school cooks cruel?

Because they batter fish and beat eggs.



What's the difference between a schoolteacher and a train?

A schoolteacher says, "Spit out that toffee" and a train says, "Choo, choo."

Why don't you go home and brush up on your ignorance?



Teacher: "Who can tell me where Turkey is?"

Donald: "We ate ours last Christmas, Miss."



When Dad came home he was astonished to see Susie sitting on a horse, writing something.

"What on earth are you doing there?" he asked.

"Well, teacher told us to write an essay on our favourite animal. That's why I'm here and why Jim's standing in the goldfish bowl."



Why did the teacher call both her children Ed?

Because she thought two Eds were better than one.



Why did the school orchestra have bad manners?

Because it didn't know how to conduct itself.



Knock, knock.

Who's there?

Alison.

Alison who?

Alison to my teacher!



Did you hear about the boy  
who had to do a project on trains?

He had to keep track of everything!



How can a teacher increase the size of her pay cheque?

By looking at it through a magnifying glass.

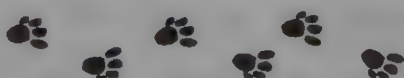


Ben's teacher regards Ben as a wonder child. He  
wonders whether he'll ever learn anything.



Teacher: "You missed school yesterday, didn't you  
Tom?"

Tom: "Not much Miss."



Dinah wrote in her exercise book: Margarine is butter  
made from imitation cows.

Did you hear about the cross-eyed teacher?  
She had no control over her pupils.



What's the longest piece of furniture in the school?  
The multiplication table.



Miss Jones who  
teaches us maths, isn't  
much of a laugh. For,  
sad to tell, she doesn't  
half smell, for she hardly  
ever has taken  
a bath.



What did the arithmetic book say to the geometry  
book?

Boy! Do we have our problems!



Did you hear what happened when there was  
an epidemic of laryngitis at school?

The school nurse sent everyone to the croakroom.



The games teacher, Miss Janet Rockey,  
Wanted to train as a jockey.  
But, sad to recall,  
She grew far too tall.  
So now she teaches us hockey.



"Welcome to school, Simon,"  
said the nursery school  
teacher to the new boy.  
"How old are you?"

"I'm not old," said Simon. "I'm nearly new."



"Please, Miss!" said a little boy at kindergarten.  
"We're going to play elephants and circuses, do you  
want to join in?"

"I'd love to," said the teacher. "What do you want me  
to do?"

"You can be the lady that feeds us peanuts!"



What's the difference between an angler and a  
schoolboy?

One baits his hooks. The other hates his books.

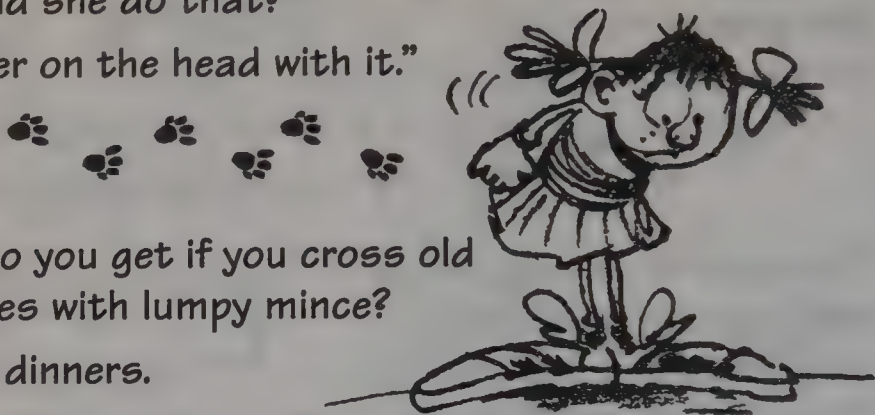


"Why are you crying, Amanda?" asked her teacher.

"Cos Jenny's broken my new doll, Miss," she cried.

"How did she do that?"

"I hit her on the head with it."



What do you get if you cross old potatoes with lumpy mince?

School dinners.

The evening-classes teacher asked one of his pupils when he had last sat an exam.

"1945," said the lad.

"Good lord! That's more than 50 years ago."

"No, Sir! An hour and a half, it's quarter past nine now."



"I'd like you to be very quiet today, boys and girls. I've got a dreadful headache."

"Please Miss!" said Jim. "Why don't you do what Mum does when she has a headache?"

"What's that?"

"She sends us out to play."



Games mistress: "Come on, Sophie. You can run faster than that."

Sophie: "I can't, Miss. I'm wearing run-resistant tights."



Confucius he say: If teacher ask you question and you not know answer, mumble.



Why was the little bird expelled from school?

She was always playing practical yolks.

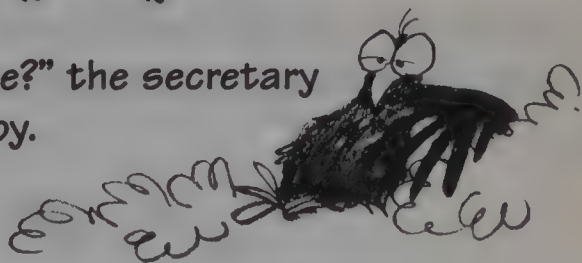


"And what's your name?" the secretary asked the next new boy.

"Butter."

"I hope your first name's not Roland," smirked the secretary.

"No, Miss. It's Brendan."



"Who was Captain Kidd?" asked the history teacher.

"He was a contortionist."

"What makes you think that, Jim?"

"Well it says in the history book that he spent a lot of time sitting on his chest."

Did you hear about the maths teacher who fainted in class?

Everyone tried to bring her 2.



Knock, knock.

Who's there?

Canoe.

Canoe who?

Canoe help me with my homework,  
please, Dad. I'm stuck.



What do you call an English teacher, 5 feet tall,  
covered from head to toe in boils and totally bald?  
Sir!



"Teacher reminds me of the sea," said Jim to Billy.

"You mean she's deep, sometimes calm but  
occasionally stormy?"

"No! She makes me sick."



Why did the maths teacher take a ruler to bed with  
him?

He wanted to see how long he would sleep.

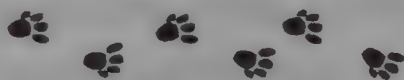
Did you hear about the schoolboy who was studying Greek mythology?

When the teacher asked him to name something that was half-man and half-beast, he replied, "Buffalo Bill."



When the school was broken into, the thieves took absolutely everything – desks, books, blackboards, everything apart from the soap in the lavatories and all the towels.

The police are looking for a pair of dirty criminals.



Teacher: "That's the stupidest boy in the whole school."

Mother: "That's my son."

Teacher: "Oh! I'm so sorry."

Mother: "You're sorry!"



What's the difference between a boring teacher and a boring book?

You can shut the book up.



Typing teacher: "Bob! Your work has certainly improved. There are only 10 mistakes here."

Bob: "Oh good, Miss."

Teacher: "Now let's look at the second line, shall we?"



Why is a man wearing sunglasses like a rotten teacher?

Because he keeps his pupils in the dark.



Jennifer: "How come you did so badly in history? I thought you had all the dates written on your sleeve."

Miriam: "That's the trouble, I put on my geography blouse by mistake."

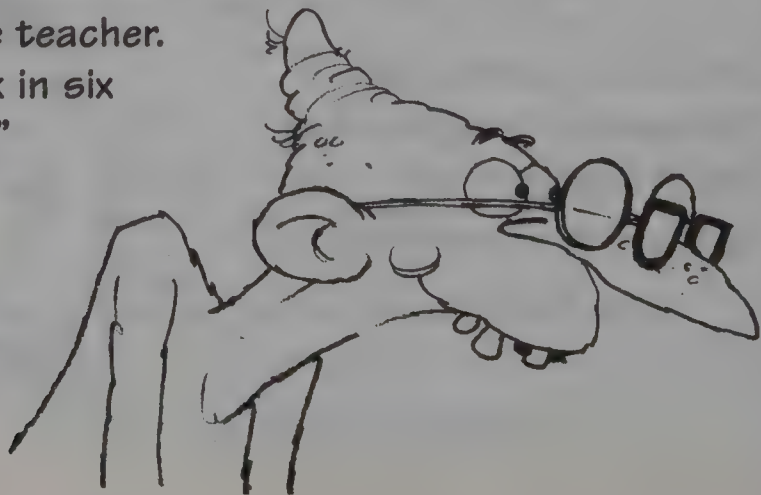


The headmaster was interviewing a new teacher.

"You'll get £10,000 to start, with £15,000 after six months."

"Oh!" said the teacher.

"I'll come back in six months then."



"Max won't be at school today," said his mother on the telephone. "He's broken an arm."

"Well tell him we hope he gets better soon."

"Oh he's fine," said the mother. "It was my arm he broke."



"What do you do?" a man asked a girl at a party.

"I'm an infant teacher."

"Good gracious! I thought you were at least 26."



"You never get anything right," complained the teacher. "What kind of job do you think you'll get when you leave school?"

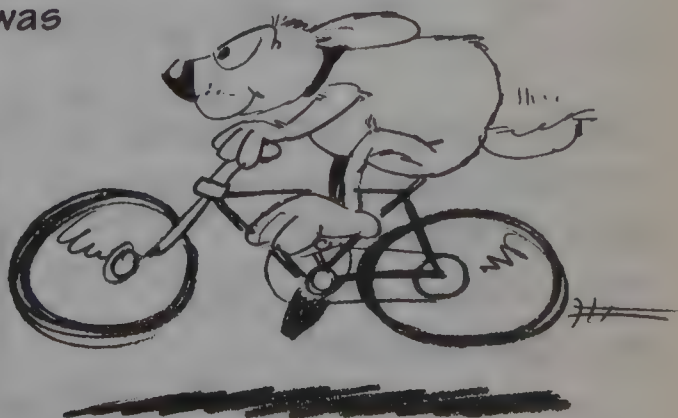
"Well I want to be the weather girl on TV."



The schoolteacher was furious when Jim knocked him down with his new bicycle in the playground.

"Don't you know how to ride that yet?" he roared.

"Oh yes!" shouted Jim over his shoulder. "It's the bell I can't work yet."



"Please Sir. There's something wrong with my stomach."

"Well button up your jacket and no one will notice."



Why are art galleries like retirement homes for teachers?  
Because they're both full of old masters.



A warning to any young sinner,  
Be you fat or perhaps even thinner.  
If you do not repent,  
To Hell you'll be sent.  
With nothing to eat but school dinner.



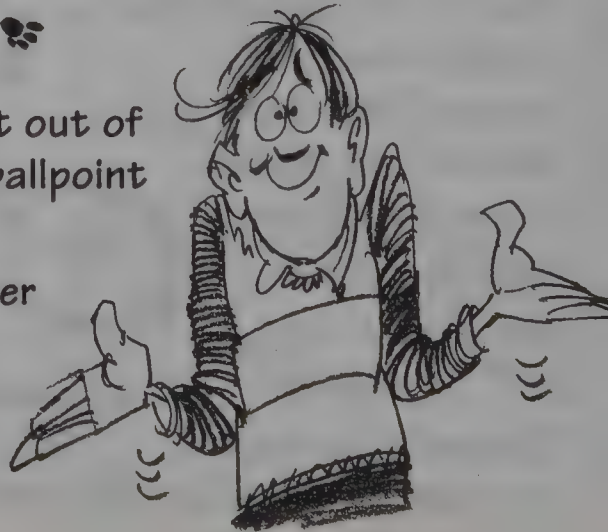
"I asked you to draw a pony and trap," said the art master. "You've only drawn the pony. Why?"

"Well, Sir, I thought the pony would draw the trap."



"Did you know that eight out of ten schoolchildren use ballpoint pens to write with?"

"Gosh! What do the other two use them for?"

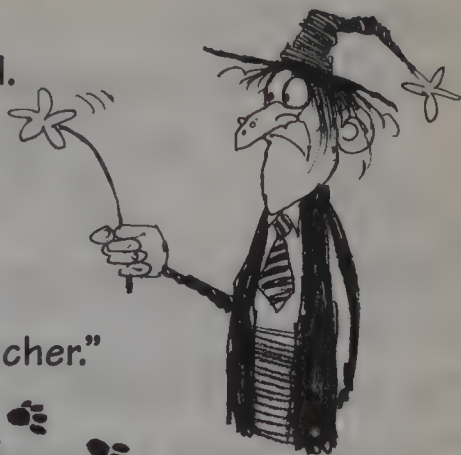


"I'm not going to school today," Alexander said to his mother. "The teachers bully me and the boys in my class don't like me."

"You're going. And that's final. I'll give you two good reasons why."

"Why?"

"Firstly, you're 35 years old.  
Secondly, you're the head teacher."



"Your pupils must miss you a lot," said the woman in the next bed to the teacher in hospital.

"Not at all! Their aim's usually good. That's why I'm here."



"I did not come into the classroom to listen to you lot being impertinent," complained the teacher.

"Oh! Where do you usually go, Miss?"



Did you hear about the teacher who married the diary maid? It didn't last. They were like chalk and cheese.



"Please, Miss! How do you spell 'ichael'?"

The teacher was rather bewildered. "Don't you mean Michael?"

"No Miss. I've written the 'M' already."



"What did the doctor say to you yesterday?" asked the teacher.

"He said I was allergic to horses."

"I've never heard of anyone suffering from that. What's the condition called?"

"Bronco-itis."



Teacher's strong; teacher's gentle.

Teacher's kind. And I am mental.



Knock, knock.

Who's there?

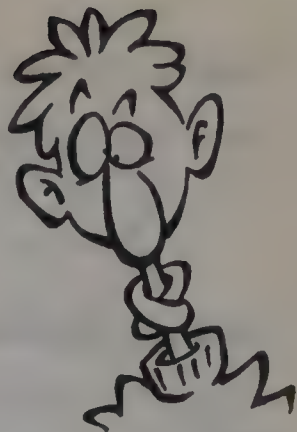
Teacher.

Teacher who?

Teacher-self French.



A gym teacher who came from Quebec,  
Wrapped both legs around his neck.  
But sad, he forgot  
How to untie the knot  
And now he's a highly-strung wreck.



Why did the teacher have her hair in a bun?  
Because she had her nose in a hamburger.



"I was doing my homework yesterday and I asked my  
dad what a circle is. He said it's a round straight line  
with a hole in the middle."



"Our librarian is so stupid she thinks that an  
autobiography is a book about the life story of a car."



Brian: "How did you manage to get a black eye?"

Bertie: "You see that tree in the playground?"

Brian: "Yes."

Bertie: "Well, I didn't."



Teacher: "What is the longest night of the year?"

Alex: "A fortnight."



Teacher: "Recite your tables to me, Joan."

Joan: "Dining-room table, kitchen table, bedside table..."



Why did the teacher fix her bed to the chandelier?

Because she was a light sleeper.



A school inspector was talking to a pupil. "How many teachers work in this school?" he asked.

"Only about half of them, I reckon," replied the pupil.



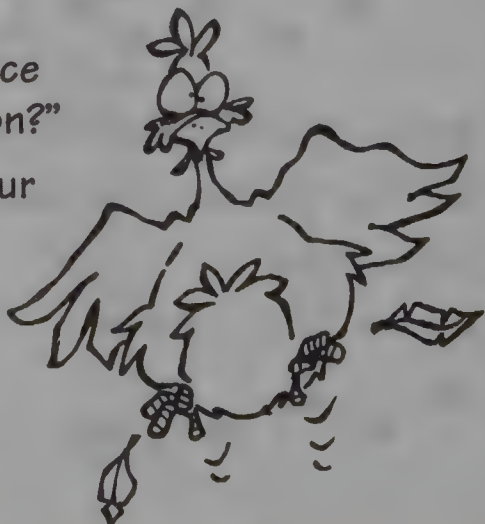
Teacher: "What's the difference between a buffalo and a bison?"

Student: "You can't wash your hands in a buffalo, Miss."



Why should a school not be near a chicken farm?

To avoid the pupils overhearing fowl language.



Dave: "The trouble with our teachers is that they are just like birds."

Mave: "Really? Why's that?"

Dave: "They watch us like hawks."



Tracy: "Would you punish someone for something they haven't done?"

Teacher: "Of course not."

Tracy: "Oh good, because I haven't done my homework."



A teacher went into a shoe shop. "I'd like some crocodile shoes, please," she said.

"Certainly, Madam," said the salesgirl. "How big is your crocodile?"



Martin: "There are several things I can always count on."

Teacher: "What are they?"

Martin: "My fingers."



Teacher: "Andrew, your homework looks as if it is in your father's handwriting."

Andrew: "Well, I used his pen, Sir."



Father: "Would you like me to help you with your homework?"

Son: "No thanks, I'd rather get it wrong by myself."



Why did the headmistress put wheels on her rocking chair?

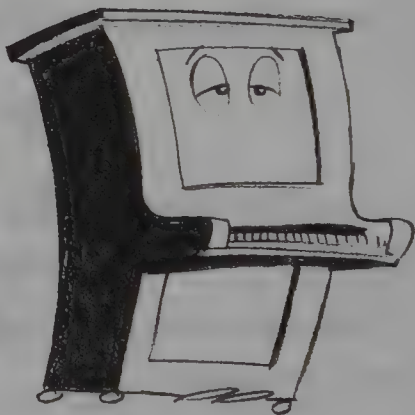
She liked to rock and roll.



Piano tuner: "I've come to tune the piano."

Music teacher: "But we didn't send for you."

Piano tuner: "No, but the people who live across the street did."



Why can't the teacher with one ear be sent to prison?

Because you can't condemn someone without a hearing.



Why is school like a shower?

One wrong turn and you're in hot water.

How does a clever boy spend hours on his homework every night, and yet get twelve hours' sleep?

He puts his homework underneath his mattress.



The head teacher was taking her class round an art gallery. She stopped in front of one exhibit, and sneered at the guide, "I suppose that is some kind of modern art?"

"No, madam," replied the guide.

"I'm afraid it's a mirror."



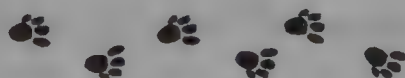
What is the most popular sentence at school?

I don't know.



Pupil: "Excuse me, Sir, but I don't think I deserve a mark of zero for this exam paper."

Teacher: "Neither do I, but it's the lowest mark I can give."



Why did the teacher decide to become an electrician?  
To get a bit of light relief.



Kelly: "Is God a doctor, Miss?"

Teacher: "In some ways, Kelly. Why do you ask?"

Kelly: "Because the Bible says that the Lord gave the tablets to Moses."



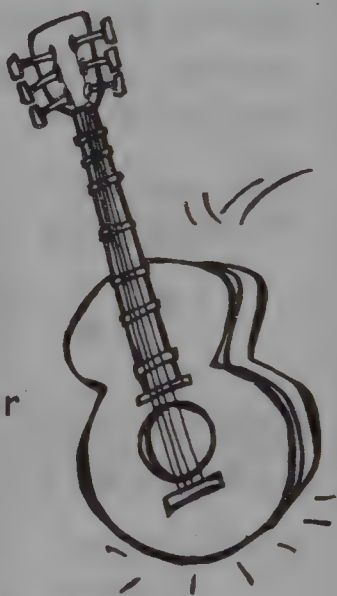
Keith: "Our teacher's an old bat."

Kevin: "You mean he's bad-tempered?"

Keith: "Not only that, he hangs around us all the time."



Sign on the school noticeboard: Guitar for sale, cheap, no strings attached.



Darren, at school dinner: "I've just swallowed a bone."

Teacher: "Are you choking?"

Darren: "No, I'm serious."



Mary's class was taken to the Natural History Museum in London.

"Did you enjoy yourself?" asked her mother when she got home.

"Oh yes," replied Mary. "But it was funny going to a dead zoo."

First teacher: "What's wrong with young Jimmy today? I saw him running round the playground screaming and pulling at his hair!"

Second teacher: "Don't worry. He's just lost his marbles."

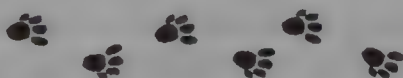


What does the music teacher do when he's locked out of the classroom?

Sing until he gets the right key.



Miss Smith and Mrs Brown were having a chat over a cup of tea about why they entered the teaching profession. "I used to be a fortune teller before I became a teacher," said Miss Smith. "But I had to give it up, because there wasn't any future in it."



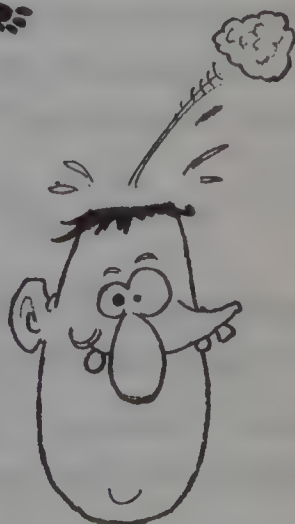
What do you get if you cross a caretaker with a monk who smokes large cigars?

A caretaker with a bad habit.



Why was Harold called the space cadet when he was at school?

Because he had a lot of space between his ears.



Retired colonel, talking of the good old days: "Have you ever hunted bear?"

His grandson's teacher: "No, but I've been fishing in shorts."



Mrs Turbot, the biology teacher, was very fond of fish. She was also rather deaf.

"What Mrs Turbot needs," said one of her colleagues, "is a herring-aid."



What's the difference between an iced lolly and the school bully?

You lick one, the other licks you.



Did you hear about the schoolboy who was so lazy he went around with his mouth open to save him the trouble of yawning?



Games teacher: "Why didn't you stop the ball?"

Harold: "I thought that was what the net was for."



Nigel: "You said the school dentist would be painless, but he wasn't."

Teacher: "Did he hurt you?"

Nigel: "No, but he screamed when I bit his finger."



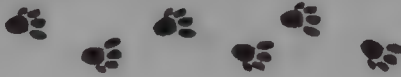
Why was the cannibal expelled from school?

Because he kept buttering up the teacher.



Teacher: "Name six things that contain milk."

Daft Dora: "Custard, cocoa, and four cows."



Brian: "Our school must have very clean kitchens."

Bill: "How can you tell?"

Brian: "All the food tastes of soap."



Why is a caretaker nothing like Robinson Crusoe?

Because Robinson Crusoe got all his work done by Friday.

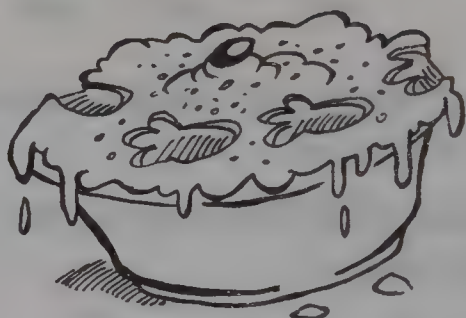


A teacher took her class for a walk in the country, and Susie found a grass snake. "Come quickly, Miss," she called, "here's a tail without a body!"



Teacher to dinner lady:  
"A pork chop, please, and  
make it lean."

Dinner lady:  
"Certainly, Mr Smith,  
which way?"



Mother: "How was your first day at school?"

Little Boy: "Okay, but I haven't got my present yet."

Mother: "What do you mean?"

Little Boy: "Well the teacher gave me a chair, and  
said, 'Sit there for the present.'"

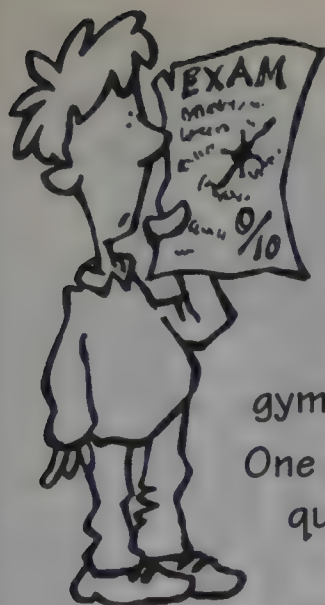


Simon was writing a geography essay. It began, "The  
people who live in Paris are called parasites..."



Music student: "Did you really learn to play the violin  
in six easy lessons?"

Music teacher: "Yes, but the 500 that followed were  
pretty difficult."



Which animals do you have to beware of when you take exams?

Cheetahs.



What's the difference between a gymnastics teacher and a duck?

One goes quick on its legs, the other goes quack on its eggs.



Teacher: "Why are you late, Penelope?"

Penelope: "I was obeying the sign that says 'Children - Slow,' Miss."



Teacher: "Didn't you know the bell had gone?"

Silly Sue: "I didn't take it, Miss."



Teacher: "Peter! Why are you scratching yourself?"

Peter: "Cos no one else knows where I itch."



Teacher: Fred! Wipe that mud off your shoes before you come in the classroom."

Fred: "But, Sir, I'm not wearing any shoes."

Knock, knock.  
Who's there?  
Sacha.  
Sacha who?  
Sacha lot of questions  
in this exam!



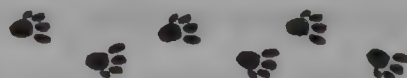
Teacher: "Who knows  
what a hippy is?"  
Clever Dick: "It's something  
that holds your leggy on."



Teacher: "Who can tell me what an archaeologist is?"  
Tracey: "It's someone whose career is in ruins."



Teacher: "Barbara, name three collective nouns."  
Barbara: "The wastepaper bin, the carper sweeper  
and the vacuum cleaner."



Teacher: "Who was the fastest runner in history?"  
Bill: "Adam. He was first in the human race."



What do you get if you cross your least favourite teacher with a telescope?

A horrorscope?



Monica fancied herself as an artist. But her teacher said she was so bad it was a wonder she could draw breath.



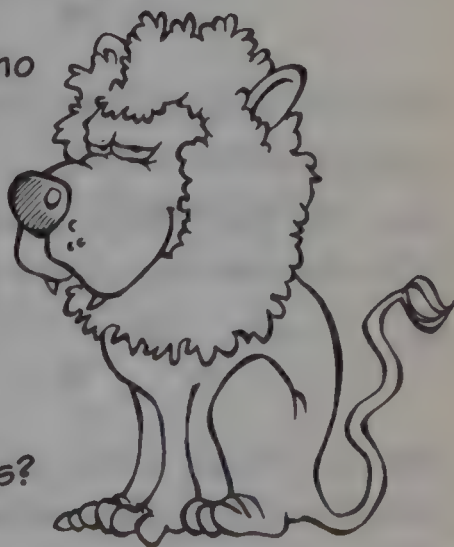
Henry: "I'd like to learn to play a drum, Sir."

Music teacher: "Beat it!"



Did you hear about the boy who was told to do 100 lines?

He drew 100 big cats on the paper. He thought the teacher had said "lions."



What has eight feet and sings?

The school quartet.



"What's your handicrafts teacher like?"

"She's a sew and sew."

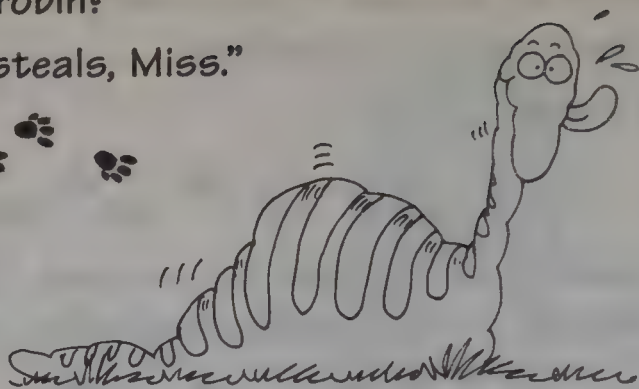


Teacher: "What's a robin?"

John: "A bird that steals, Miss."

How did dinosaurs  
pass exams?

With extinction.



How can a teacher double his money?

By folding it in half.

Teacher: "Why did the Romans  
build straight roads?"

Alex: "So the Britons couldn't  
lie in ambush round the corners."

What is brown, hairy, wears dark  
glasses and carries a pile of  
exercise books?

A coconut disguised as a teacher.

How do teachers dress in mid-January?

Quickly.

Music teacher: "Do you like opera, Francesca?"

Francesca: "Apart from the singing, yes."



What takes a lot of licks from a teacher without complaint?

An ice cream.

School doctor: "Have you ever had trouble with appendicitis?"

Naomi: "Only when I tried to spell it."

Barbara: "I wish I'd been alive a few hundred years ago."

History teacher: "Why?"

Barbara: "There'd have been a lot less history to learn."

Teacher: "Write 'I must not forget my gym kit' 100 times."

Nicky: "But, Sir, I only forgot it once."



Science teacher: "What happened when electricity was first discovered?"

Alex: "Someone got a nasty shock."



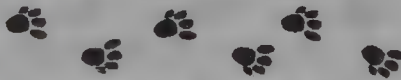
Why was Cinderella thrown out of the school's netball team?

Because she kept running away from the ball.



English teacher: "Now give me a sentence using the word 'fascinate.' "

Clare: "My raincoat has 10 buttons but I can only fasten eight."



How can you save school dumplings from drowning?

Put them in gravy boats.



Teacher (to parent on open day): "Yes, Mr Brown, I think your son will go down in History..."

Mr Brown: "Oh, really..."

Teacher: "Yes, and in English, Maths and Science."



Jill: "Why did the germ cross the microscope?"

Bill: "To get to the other slide."



Teacher: "Why do birds fly south in winter?"

Jim: "Because it's too far to walk."



Teacher: "Can you say your name backwards, Simon?"

Simon: "No, Mis."



Teacher: "Who can tell me what 'dogma' means?"

Cheeky Charlie: "It's a lady dog that's had puppies, Sir."



Knock, knock.

Who's there?

Ida.

Ida who?

Ida nawful time at school today.



How did the teacher knit  
a suit of armour?

She used steel wool.



Geography teacher:  
"How can you prove  
that the world is round?"

Ben: "But I never said it was, Sir."



Father: "I want to take my girl out of this terrible  
maths class."

Teacher: "But she's top of the class."

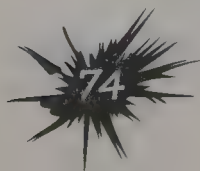
Father: "That's why I think it must be a terrible class."



Girl: "Mum, you know you're always worried about me  
failing maths?"

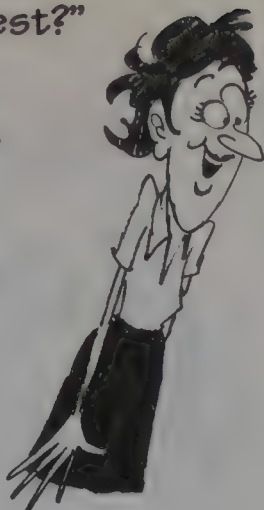
Mother: "Yes."

Girl: "Well, your worries are over."



Mother: "Did you get a good place in the geography test?"

Daughter: "Yes, Mum, I sat next to the cleverest kid in the class."



Teacher: "Colin, one of your essays is very good but the other one I can't read."

Colin: "Yes, sir. My mother is a much better writer than my father."

"It's a note from the teacher about me telling lies – but it's not true."

Girl: "My teacher's a peach."

Mother: "You mean she's sweet."

Girl: "No, she has a heart of stone."

Teacher to pupil: "How many thousand times have I told you not to exaggerate?"



# Monsters and Ghouls



What should you call a polite, friendly, kind, good-looking monster?

A failure.



Did you hear about the monster who ate bits of metal every night?

It was his staple diet.



Why do vampires never get fat?  
They eat necks to nothing.

What does a headless  
horseman ride?  
A nightmare.

What sort of ship does Count  
Dracula sail on?  
A blood vessel.

Are vampires mad?  
Well, they're often bats.

Boy monster: "You've got a face like a million dollars."  
Girl monster: "Have I really?"  
Boy monster: "Yes – it's green and wrinkly."

Why did the monster eat a light bulb?  
Because he was in need of light refreshment.



A ghost was out haunting one night and met a fairy fluttering through the forest. "Hello," said the ghost. "I've never met a fairy before. What's your name?"

"Nuff," said the fairy.

"That's a very odd name," said the ghost.

"No, it's not," said the fairy, offended, "haven't you heard of Fairy Nuff?"



A monster spook went to see the doctor because he kept bumping into things. "You need glasses," said the doctor.

"Will I be able to read with them?" asked the spook.

"Yes."

"That's brilliant," said the spook. "I didn't know how to read before."



The stupid monster went to the mind reader's and paid £5 to have his thoughts read. After half an hour the mind reader gave him his money back.



What do you get if a huge hairy monster steps on Batman and Robin?

Flatman and Ribbon.

Cross-eyed Monster: "When I grow up I want to be a bus driver."

Witch: "Well, I won't stand in your way."



Did you hear about the stupid vampire who listened to a match?

He burned his ear!



Did you hear about the short-sighted monster who fell in love with a piano?

It had such wonderful white teeth, how could he resist it?



Did you hear about the competition to find the laziest spook in the world? All the competitors were lined up on stage. "I've got a really nice, easy job for the laziest person here," said the organiser. "Will the laziest spook raise his hand?"

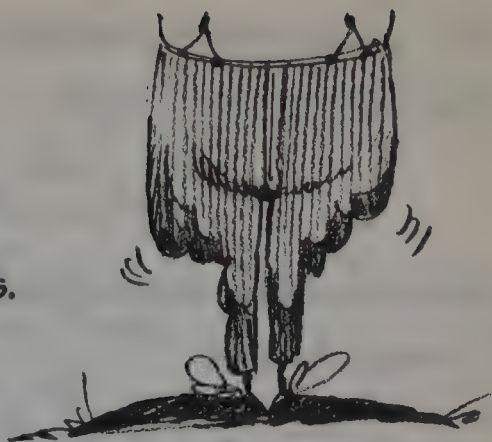
All the spooks put up their hands – except one.

"Why didn't you raise your hand?" asked the presenter.

"Too much trouble," yawned the spook!



Knock, knock.  
Who's there?  
Thumping.  
Thumping who?  
Thumping green and slimy  
just went up your trousers.



What do you get if you cross a Scottish legend and a  
bad egg?

The Loch Ness pongster.



Did you hear about the absent-minded monster who  
went round and round in a revolving door for three  
hours?

He didn't know whether he was coming or going!



Did you hear about the ghoul's favourite hotel?

It had running rot and mould in every room.



Why did the monster lie in the pathway?

To trip up the ants



Why are ghosts cowards?

'Cos they've got no guts.



What does the Indian ghost sleep in?

A creepy teepee.



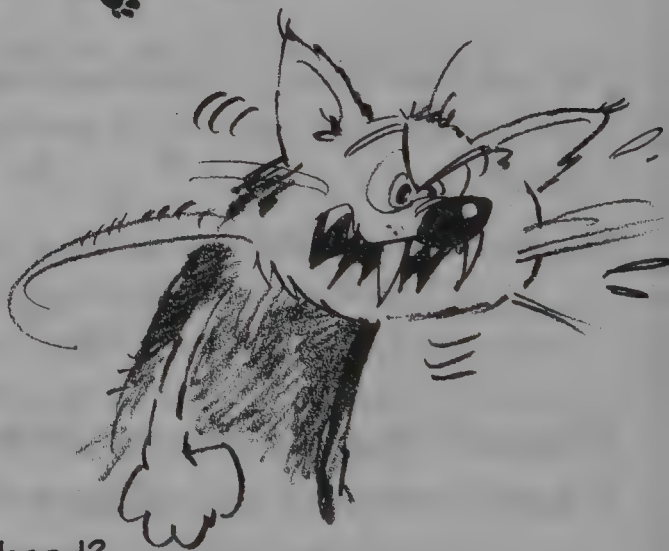
Who brings the monsters their babies?

Frankenstork.



What do you think of  
Dracula films?

Fangtastic!



What do you call  
a monster  
with gravy, meat  
and potatoes on his head?

Stew.



What did Tarzan say when he saw the monsters coming?

"Here come the monsters."

And what did he say when he saw the monsters coming with sunglasses on?

Nothing – he didn't recognise them!



If a flying saucer is an aircraft, does that make a flying broomstick a witchcraft?



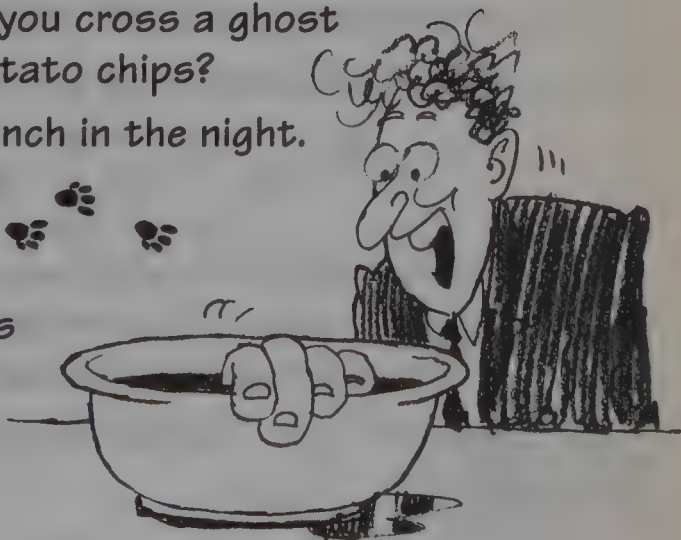
What do you get if you cross a ghost with a packet of potato chips?

Snacks that go crunch in the night.



What was Dr Jekyll's favourite game?

Hyde and Seek.



"Waiter, waiter," called a diner at the Monster Café. "There's a hand in my soup."

"That's not your soup, Sir, that's your finger bowl."



How does Dracula keep fit?

He plays batminton.



How do you get a ghost to lie perfectly flat?

You use a spirit level.



Alex's class went on a nature study ramble. "What do you call a thing with ten legs, red spots and great big jaws, Sir?" asked Alex.

"I've no idea, why do you ask?" replied the teacher.

"Because one just crawled up your trouser leg."



Two monsters were in hospital and they were discussing their operations and ailments. "Have you had your feet checked?" one asked the other.

"No," came the reply. "They've always been purple with green spots."



What happened when the ice monster had a furious row with the zombie?

He gave him the cold shoulder.



A mother monster marched her naughty little monster into the doctor's surgery. "Is it possible that he could have taken his own tonsils out?" she asked.

"No," said the doctor.

"I told you so," said the mother monster. "Now, put them back."



Why don't ghosts make good magicians?

You can see right through their tricks.



How many vampires can you fit into an empty sports stadium?

One – after that it's not empty.



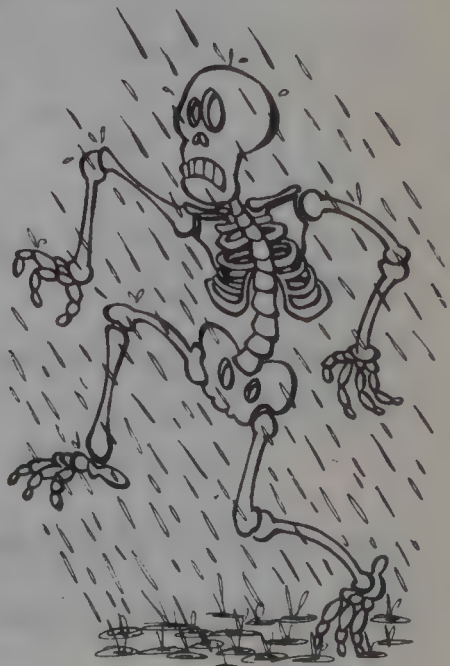
What do you call a skeleton who goes out in the snow and rain without a coat or an umbrella?

A numbskull.



What did the werewolf eat after he'd had his teeth taken out?

The dentist.



Monster: "I've got to walk 25 miles home."

Ghost: "Why don't you take a train?"

Monster: "I did once, but my mother made me give it back."



Which science fiction movie stars Count Dracula?

The Vampire Strikes Back.



"Mummy, mummy, what's a vampire?"

"Be quiet, dear, and drink your soup before it clots."



What did Frankenstein's monster say when he was struck by lightning?

"Thanks, I needed that."



What are pupils at ghost schools called?

Ghoulboys and ghoulgirls.



Why wouldn't the skeleton go to school?

Because his heart wasn't in it.



Did you hear about the little spook who couldn't sleep at night because his brother kept telling him human stories?



What did they say about the aristocratic monster? That he was born with a silver shovel in his mouth.



Why did the lady monster wear curlers at night? She wanted to wake up curly in the morning.



Why was the sword-swallowing monster put in prison? He coughed and killed two people.



What did the zombie say when he knocked on Eddie's door?

"Eddie body home?"



Did you hear about the horrible hairy monster who did farmyard impressions? He didn't do the noises, he just made the smells.



How do you know when there's a monster hiding under your bed?

When you wake up, your nose is squashed up against the ceiling.



Where do witches' frogs sit?

On toadstools.



What's the difference between a vampire and a biscuit?

You can't dip a vampire in your tea.



Did you hear about the ogre who threw trunks over cliffs?

Nothing special about that, you might think – but the elephants were still attached.



What's the best way of stopping a monster sliding through the eye of a needle?

Tie a knot in his neck.



Why did the monster drink ten litres of anti-freeze?

So that he didn't have to buy a winter coat.



Why does Dracula always travel with his coffin?

Because his life is at stake.



What's a giant's favourite tale?

A tall story.



What did the monster dog say  
when he saw Santa Claus?

"Can I have a cat for Christmas?"



Why was the student witch so bad at essays?

Because she couldn't spell properly.



How do you stop a werewolf howling in the back of a  
car?

Put him in the front.



What kind of ghosts haunt hospitals?

Surgical spirits.



Which day of the week do ghosts like best?

Moandays.



Why wouldn't the skeleton go to the ghoul's school disco?

He had no body to go with.



What subject are witches good at in school?

English! Because they're the tops at spelling.



Why did the monster have to buy two tickets for the zoo?

One to get in and one to get out.



1st monster: "That gorgeous four-eyed creature just rolled her eyes at me!"

2nd monster: "Well, roll them back again – she might need them."



What did ET's mother say to him when he got home?

"Where on Earth have you been?"

What time is it when an alien monster lands its flying saucer on your car?

Time to get a new car.



Why are monsters' fingers never more than 11 inches long?

Because if they were 12 inches, they would be a foot.

What do you get if you cross a zombie with a boy scout?

A creature that scares old ladies across the road.

What should you do if you find yourself surrounded by Dracula, Frankenstein, a zombie and a werewolf?

Hope you're at a fancy dress party.

Who wrote Count Dracula's life story?

The ghost writer.



Where does Dracula keep his savings?

In the blood bank.



Did you hear about the monster who was known as Captain Kirk?

He had a left ear, a right ear and a final front ear.



What did one of Frankenstein's ears say to the other?  
I didn't know we were living on the same block.



A monster went shopping with sponge fingers in one ear and jelly and custard in the other.

"Why have you got jelly and custard and sponge fingers in your ears?" asked the shop assistant.

"You'll have to speak up," said the monster. "I'm a trifle deaf."

Why did the huge, horrible monster go to see the psychiatrist?

Because he was worried that people liked him.



Igor: "Only this morning Dr Frankenstein completed another amazing operation. He crossed an ostrich with a centipede."

Dracula: "And what did he get?"

Igor: "We don't know – we haven't managed to catch it yet."



Why did the monster jump up and down?

Because he'd just taken his medicine and he'd forgotten to shake the bottle.



Did you hear about the utterly brainless monster who sat on the floor?

He fell off.



Did you hear about the skeleton which was attacked by the dog?

It ran off with some bones and left him without a leg to stand on.

Why did the monster take his nose apart?

To see what made it run.



A monster decided to become a TV star, so he went to see an agent. "What do you do?" asked the agent.

"Bird impressions," said the monster.

"What kind of bird impressions?"

"I eat worms."



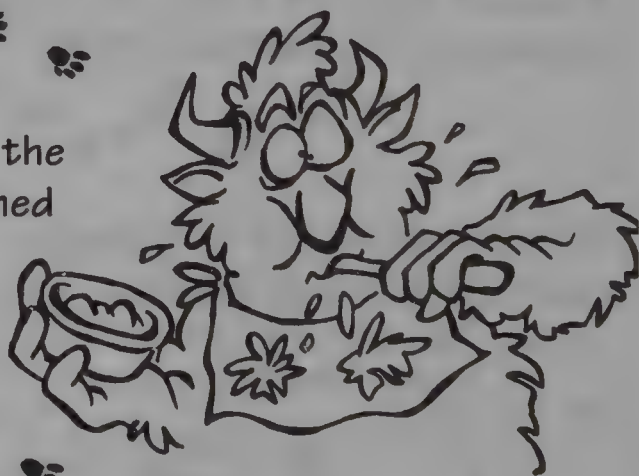
What did the monster say when he saw Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs?

"Yum, yum!"



What happened when the werewolf met the horned monster?

It was love at first fright.



What happened to Ray when he met the man-eating monster?

He became an ex-Ray.



What's a skeleton's favourite musical instrument?

A trombone.



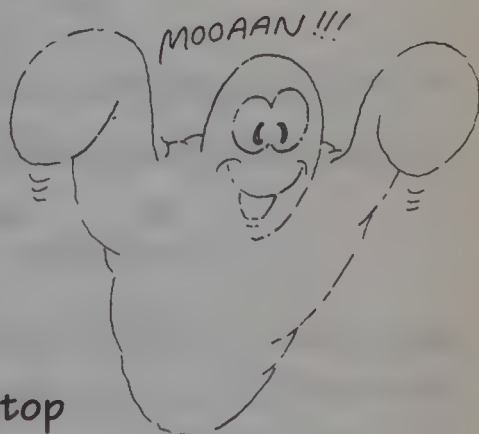
Igor: "How was that science fiction movie you saw last night?"

Dr Frankenstein: "Oh, the same old story – boy meets girl, boy loses girl, boy builds new girl..."



Teacher: "What do you know about Lake Erie?"

Rose: "It's full of ghosts, Miss."



Dr Frankenstein: "How can I stop that monster charging?"

Igor: "Why not take away his credit card?"



Did you hear about the vain monster who was going bald?

The doctor couldn't do a hair transplant for him so he shrunk his head to fit his hair.



The monster from outer space decided to go on a trip around the universe, so he went to the rocket office to book a ticket to the Moon. "Sorry, sir," said the attendant, "the Moon is full at the moment."



What has two heads, three hands, two noses and five feet?

A monster with spare parts.



What's a ghost's favourite entertainment?

Going to the phantomime.



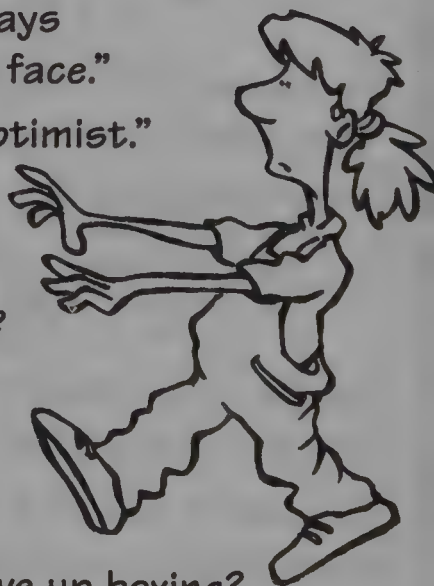
1st witch: "I like your toad. He always has such a nice expression on his face."

2nd witch: "It's because he's a hoptimist."



What airline do zombies travel on?

British Scareways.



Why did the champion monster give up boxing?

He didn't want to spoil his looks.

1st monster: "It's raining cats and dogs today."

2nd monster: "Yes, I know - I've just stepped on a poodle."



Who does a monster ask for a date?

Any old ghoul he can find.



Where do ghouls go to study?

Ghoullege.



What did one skeleton say to the other?

"If we had any guts we'd get out of here."



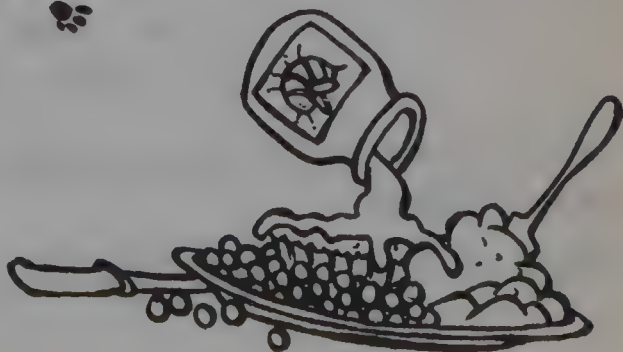
What do ghosts do at 11 a.m.?

Take a coffin break.



"Mummy, mummy, I don't like Daddy!"

"Well, just eat the peas then, dear."



Why are vampires artistic?  
They're good at drawing blood.



Did you hear about Miss Spellbinder's new twins?  
It's difficult to tell witch from witch.



1st witch: "Every time it's misty, I hear a strange  
croaking noise coming from your house."

2nd witch: "That would be my froghorn."



What is black and has eight  
wheels?

A witch on roller skates.



What happened when the Ice Monster ate a curry?  
He blew his cool.



Which ghost sailed the seven seas looking for rubbish  
and blubber?

The ghost of BinBag the Whaler.

1st witch: "My trash can must be full of toadstools."

2nd witch: "Why's that?"

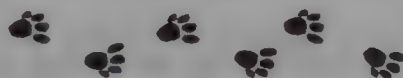
1st witch: "There's not mushroom inside."



Witch: "Try some of my sponge cake."

Wizard: "It's a bit tough."

Witch: "That's strange. I only bought the sponge from the chemist this morning."



Why did the cyclops apply for half a television licence?

Because he only had one eye.



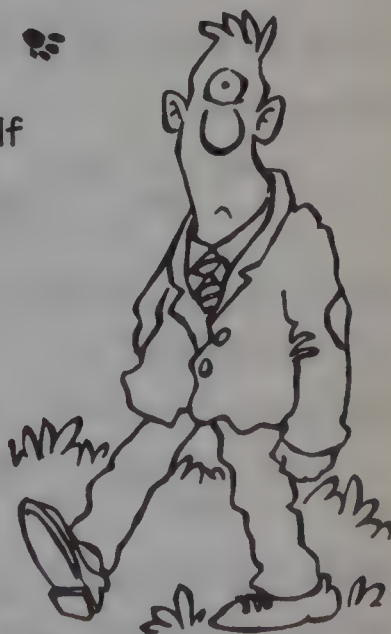
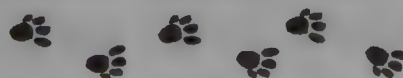
What kind of monster has the best hearing?

The eeriest.



How did the invisible boy upset his mother?

He kept appearing.



Did you hear about the stupid monster who hurt himself while he was raking up leaves?

He fell out of a tree.



Dr Frankenstein decided to build an extension to his laboratory, so he crossed a cement mixer, a ghoul and a chicken. Now he's got a demon bricklayer.



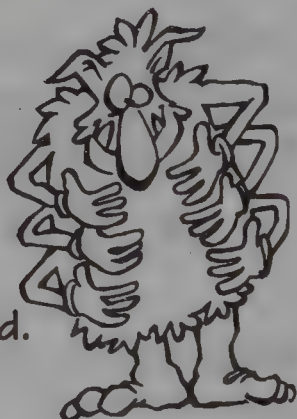
What did the angry monster do when he got his gas bill?

He exploded.



What makes an ideal present for a monster?

Five pairs of gloves – one for each hand.



What comes out at night and goes "Munch, munch, ouch!"

A vampire with a rotten tooth.



Two ghouls were in the middle of an argument. "I didn't come here to be insulted," yelled one.

"Really? Where do you usually go?"



Witch: "I've never been so insulted in my life! I went to a Halloween party and at midnight they asked me to take my mask off."

Spook: "Why are you so angry?"

Witch: "I wasn't wearing a mask."



What did the shy pebble monster say?

"I wish I was a little boulder."



How do monsters count to 13?

On their fingers.



How do they count to 47?

They take off their socks and count their toes.



Monster: "Where do fleas go in winter?"

Werewolf: "Search me!"



What is even more invisible than the invisible ghost?  
His shadow.



Why do monsters wear glasses?  
So that they don't bump into other monsters.



What should you do if a zombie borrows your comic?  
Wait for him to give it back.



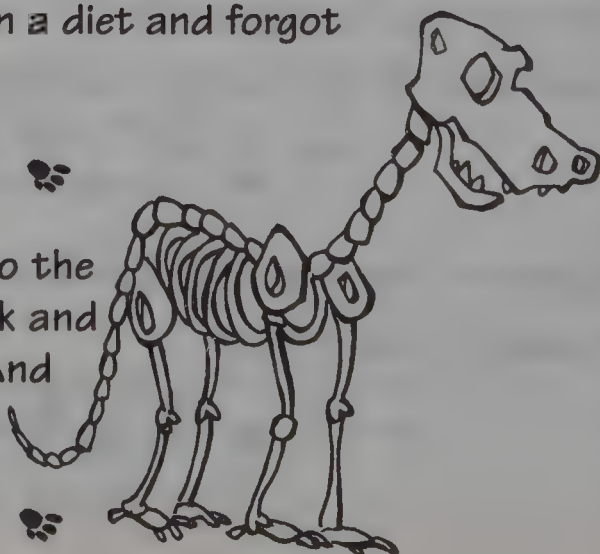
Why do demons get on so well with ghouls?  
Because demons are a ghoul's best friend.



What is a skeleton?  
Someone who went on a diet and forgot  
to say "when".



The vampire went into the  
Monster Café. "Shark and  
chips," he ordered. "And  
make it snappy."



What does Dracula say to his victims?

"It's been nice gnawing you."



Ghost: "Do you believe in the hereafter?"

Phantom: "Of course I do."

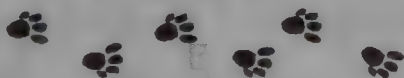
Ghost: "Well, hereafter leave me alone."



1st vulture: "I've been invited to an avoidance."

2nd vulture: "An avoidance? What's that?"

1st vulture: "It's a dance for people who hate each other."



Why did Dracula eat strong peppermints?

Because he had bat breath.



Why was the ghost arrested?

He didn't have a haunting license.



What did the dragon say when he saw St George in his shining armour?

Oh no, not more tinned food.



Did you hear about the spook who went on a high fibre diet?

He had beans on ghost twice a day.



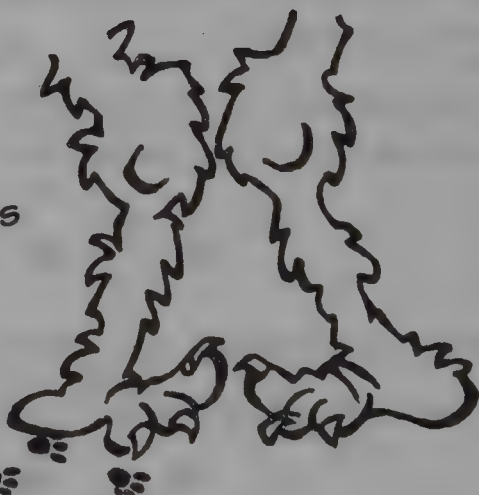
He monster: "Say something soft and sweet to me."

She monster: "Marshmallows, chocolate fudge cake..."



Why did the ghost's trousers fall down?

Because he had no visible means of support.



What's the best way of avoiding infection from biting ghosts?

Don't bite any ghosts.



What game do little ghosts play at parties?

Haunt the thimble.

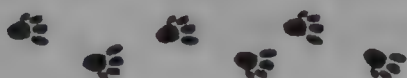


Did you hear about the monster who went to evening classes to learn to read in the dark?



1st monster: "That orange and red checked coat of yours is a bit loud."

2nd monster: "It's okay when I put my muffler on."



What do monster cats eat for breakfast?

Dreaded wheat.



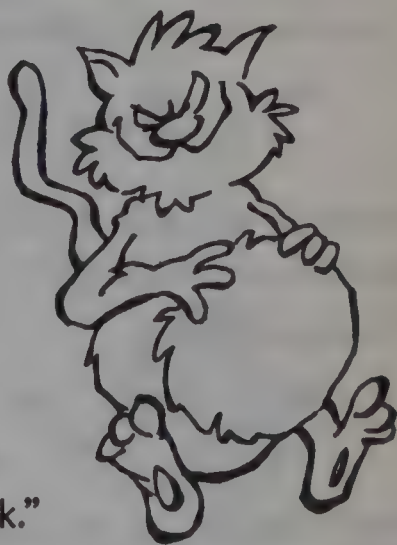
Claire: "Our maths teacher has long black hair all down her back."

Barry: "Yes, it's a pity it doesn't grow on her head."



Who speaks at the ghosts' press conference?

The spooksperson.



What is Count Dracula's favourite snack?

A fangfurter.



1st ghost: "I find haunting castles really boring these days."

2nd ghost: "I know what you mean. I just don't seem to be able to put any life into it."



Why did the monster walk over the hill?

It was too much bother to walk under it.



What do you get if you take a ghost's photograph?

Transparencies.



What did one ghost say to another?

"I'm sorry, but I just don't believe in people."



How do ghosts keep their feet dry?

By wearing boo-ts.

Which is the ghost's favourite stretch of water?

Lake Eerie.



Why are ghosts invisible?

They wear see-through clothes.



What do ghostly soldiers say to strangers?

"Who ghost there?"



Why is the graveyard such a noisy place?

Because of all the coffin!



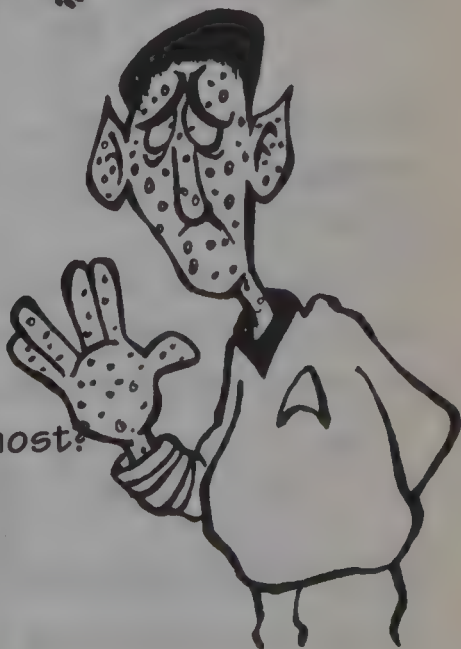
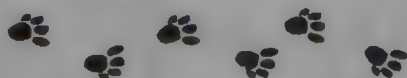
Waiter on ocean liner: "Would you like the menu, Sir?"

Spotty: "No thanks, I've just spotted someone."



What do you do with a green ghost?

Wait until he is ripe.



What do ghosts like about riding horses?

Ghoulloping.



Mrs Monster to Mr Monster: "Try to be nice to my mother when she visits us this weekend, dear. Fall down when she hits you."



What is a ghost's favourite Wild West town?

Tombstone.



Why was Baron Frankenstein never lonely?

Because he was good at making fiends.



What did the ghost estate agent say to the ghost?

"I'm sorry, Sir, we have nothing suitable for you to haunt at the moment."



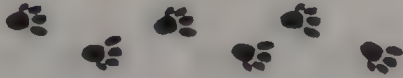
Why did the ghosts hold a seance?

To try to contact the living.



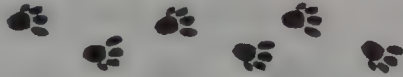
Which weight do ghosts box at?

Phantom weight.



How does a witch tell the time?

She wears a witch watch.



Mr Monster: "Oi, hurry up with my supper."

Mrs Monster: "Oh, do be quiet – I've only got three pairs of hands."



1st ghoul: "Am I late for dinner?"

2nd ghoul: "Yes, everyone's been eaten."



Father monster: "Johnny, stop prodding the poor man. I've told you before not to play with your food."



What do you get if you cross a yeti with a kangaroo?  
A fur coat with big pockets.



What do you get if you cross an elephant with the  
Abominable Snowman?  
A jumbo yeti.



What do you call two witches who share a room?  
Broom-mates.



Why did the witch put her broom  
in the washing machine?  
She wanted a clean sweep.



What noise does a witch's breakfast cereal make?  
Snap, cackle, pop!



"Doctor, doctor, I  
think I'm a witch!"  
"You'd better lie  
down for a spell."



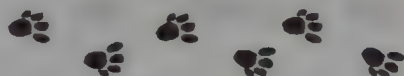
What do you call a wizard from outer space?

A flying sorcerer.



How can you tell if a vampire has been at your tomato juice?

By the teethmarks on the lid.



Witch in shoe shop: "I'd like a pair of sandals, please."

Shop assistant: "Certainly, madam, what kind?"

Witch: "Open-toad, of course."



What do you call a motorbike belonging to a witch?

A brroooooom stick.



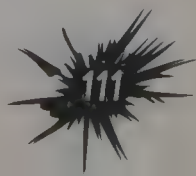
Why do skeletons drink milk?

Because it's good for the bones.



What do you get if you cross an owl with a vampire?

A bird that's ugly but doesn't give a hoot.



Why did Mr and Mrs Werewolf call their son, Camera?  
Because he was always snapping.



Was Dracula ever married?  
No, he was a bat-chelor.



Who has the most dangerous job in Transylvania?  
The dentist.



Why was Dracula so happy at the races?  
His horse won by a neck.



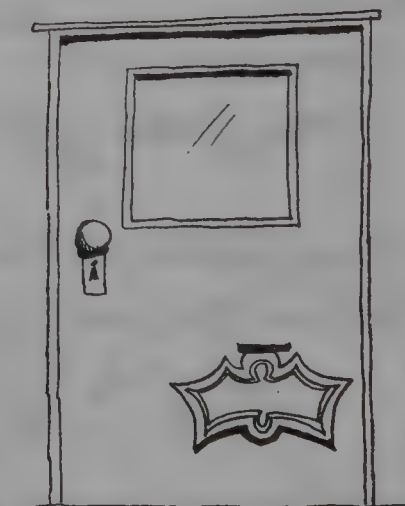
What do you get if you cross a  
vampire with Al Capone?

A fangster!



How does a vampire enter  
his house?

Through the bat flap.



Why are skeletons usually so calm?

Nothing gets under their skin.



What do you call a skeleton who's always telling lies?

A bony phoney.



What do vampires gamble with?

Stake money.



How did skeletons send each other letters in the days of the Wild West?

By Bony Express.



What do you get if you cross  
a vampire with a mummy?

A flying bandage.



Why was Dracula always willing to help young  
vampires?

Because he liked to see new blood in the business.



What happens to a witch when she loses her temper?  
She flies off the handle.



Why do skeletons hate winter?  
Because the cold goes right through them.



What do you get if you cross a vampire with a car?  
A monster that attacks vehicles and sucks out all their petrol.



What do you call an old and foolish vampire?  
A silly old sucker.



How does a vampire get through life with only one fang?

He has to grin and bare it.



What is Count Dracula's favourite pudding?  
Leeches and scream.

If a boxer was knocked out by Dracula, what would he be?  
Out for the Count.



Who is a vampire likely to fall in love with?  
The girl necks door.

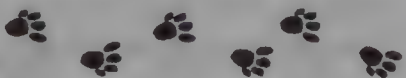


What is red, sweet and bites people in the neck?  
A jampire.



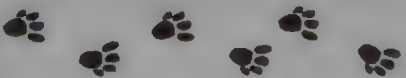
Mr Vampire: "Will you still love  
me when I'm old and ugly?"

Mrs Vampire: "Darling, of course I do."



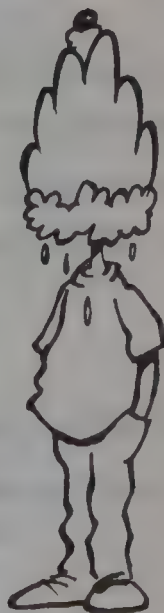
What's the difference between a vampire  
with toothache and a rainstorm?

One roars with pain and the other pours with rain.



How do you make a vampire float?

Take two scoops of ice cream, a glass of Coke and  
add one vampire.



Why did the vampire actress turn down so many film offers?

She was waiting for a part she could get her teeth into.



What do you get if you cross a vampire with a flea?  
Lots of very worried dogs.



Did you hear about the doctor who  
crossed a parrot with a vampire?

It bit his neck, sucked his blood and  
said, "Who's a pretty boy then?"



What is Dracula's favourite breed of dog?  
The bloodhound.



What's a vampire's worst enemy?  
Fang decay.



1st vampire: "I don't think much of your sister's neck."

2nd vampire: "Never mind – eat the vegetables  
instead."

What is ugly, scary and very blue?  
A vampire holding his breath.



What do you get if you cross  
a midget with Dracula?

A vampire that sucks blood  
from your kneecaps.



What do zombies play?  
Corpses and robbers.



Why did the skeleton run up a tree?  
Because a dog was after its bones.



Why was the Egyptian girl worried?  
'Cos her Daddy was a mummy.



Why did the woman take a load of hay to bed?  
To feed her nightmare.





# Q and A



Why is history like a fruit cake?

Because it's full of dates.



Why did Ken keep his trumpet in the fridge?

Because he liked cool music.



Did you hear about the dizzy boy scout?  
He spent all day doing good turns.



What's large and green and sits in a corner on its  
own all day?

The Incredible Sulk.



Why do surgeons wear masks in the operating theatre?  
So that if they make a mistake no one will know who  
did it.



What should you do if you  
swallow a light bulb?  
Spit it out and be delighted!



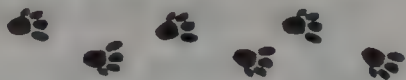
Did you hear about the millionaire who had a bad  
accident?  
He fell off his wallet.



What happened to Lady Godiva's horse when he  
realised that she wasn't wearing any clothes?  
It made him shy.

What do you get if you cross a hedgehog with a giraffe?

A long-necked toothbrush.



How do you cure a headache?

Put your head through a window, and the pane will disappear.



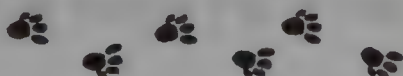
What kind of cats love water?

Octopusses.



What happens when a band plays in a thunderstorm?

The conductor gets hit by lightning.



What do you get if you cross a bumble bee with a doorbell?

A humdinger.



Why did the farmer plough his field with a steamroller?

Because he planned to grow mashed potatoes.





Why does a stork  
stand on one leg?

Because it would fall  
over if it lifted the  
other one.



"What sort of sentence  
would you get if you broke the law of gravity?"

"A suspended one."



What did one virus say to another?

Stay away, I think I've got penicillin.



What's the name for a short-legged tramp?

A low-down bum.



What's the best place to find diamonds?

In a pack of cards.



What's brown and white and flies?

Super Spud.

How did the baker get an electric shock?

He stood on a bun and a current ran up his leg.



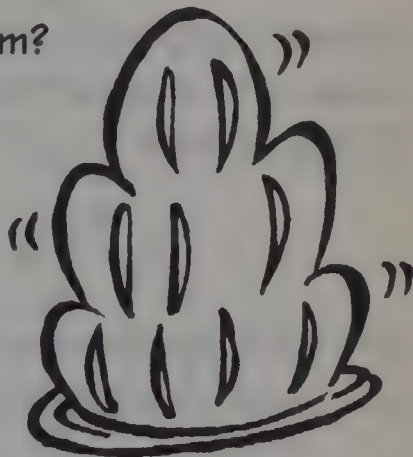
What fish tastes best with cream?

A jellyfish.



What's a porcupine's favourite food?

Prickled onions.



What's black and white and makes a lot of noise?

A zebra with a set of drums.



"My dog is a nuisance. He chases everyone on a bicycle. What can I do?"

"Take his bike away."



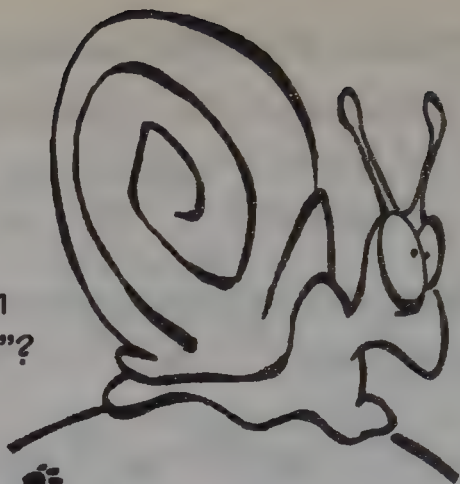
Did you hear about the idiotic karate champion who joined the army?

The first time he saluted, he nearly killed himself.



What is a snail?

A slug with a crash helmet.



What's thick, black, floats on water and shouts "Knickers!"?

Crude oil.

Why was the musician arrested?

For getting into treble.

What's the difference between a bus driver and a cold in the head?

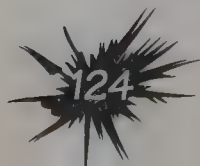
A bus driver knows the stops, and a cold in the head stops the nose.

What happened when the cows got out of their field?

There was udder chaos.

How does Jack Frost get to work?

By icicle.



What should you do if you find a gorilla sitting at your school desk?

Sit somewhere else.



Did you hear about the businessman who is so rich he has two swimming pools, one of which is always empty?

It's for people who can't swim!



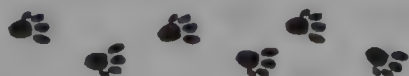
Why is twice ten the same as twice eleven?

Because twice ten is twenty, and twice eleven is twenty, too.



What's an inkling?

A baby fountain pen.



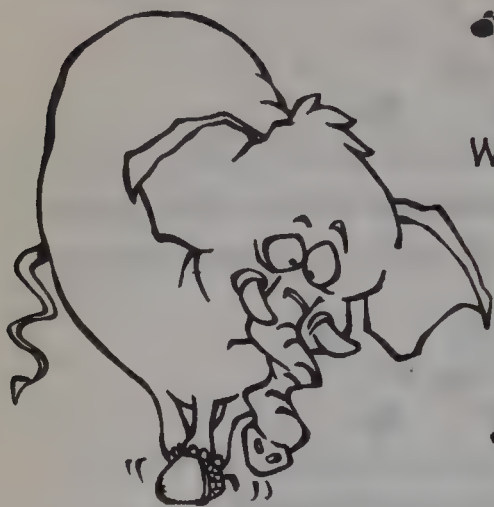
What do you get if you cross a cow with a mule?

Milk with a kick in it.



How do you stop a cold going to your chest?

Tie a knot in your neck.



Why did the elephant cross  
the road?

To pick up the flattened  
chicken.



"Why do you keep doing the backstroke?"

"I've just had lunch and don't want to swim on a full  
stomach."



What's the smelliest city in America?

Phew York.



If a dog is tied to a rope 15 feet long, how can it  
reach a bone 30 feet away?

The rope isn't tied to anything!



What do you get if you cross a chicken with a cow?

Roost beef.

What's a cow's favourite love song?

"When I Fall in Love, It will be for Heifer."



Why couldn't the butterfly go to the dance?

Because it was a moth-ball.



What do you get if you cross an eagle with a skunk?

A bird that stinks to high heaven.



How can you tell if an elephant has been sleeping in your bed?

The sheets are wrinkled and the bed smells of sticky buns.



What do you get if you cross a kangaroo with a sheep?

A woolly jumper.



What has a bottom at the top?

Your legs.



What do you get if you cross a flea with a rabbit?

Bugs Bunny.



What does a caterpillar do on New Year's Day?

Turns over a new leaf.



What do we get from naughty cows?

Bad milk!



What do you get if  
you cross a crocodile  
with a flower?

I don't know, but I'm not  
going to smell it.



What cheese is made backward?

Edam.



What circles a lampshade at 200 kph?

Stirling Moth.



What do you call a multi-storey pigpen?

A styscraper.



Why did the pig run away from the pigsty?

He felt that the other pigs were taking him for grunted.



Why did the sparrow fly into the library?

It was looking for bookworms.



What's yellow and sniffs?

A banana with a bad cold.



What's purple and hums?

A rotten plum!



Why did the toad become a lighthouse keeper?

He had his own frog-horn.



Did you hear about the boy who sat under a cow?

He got a pat on the head.



In which Biblical story is tennis mentioned?

When Moses served in Pharaoh's court...



What did the fireman's wife get for Christmas?

A ladder in her stocking.



Why do elephants have flat feet?

From jumping out of tall trees.



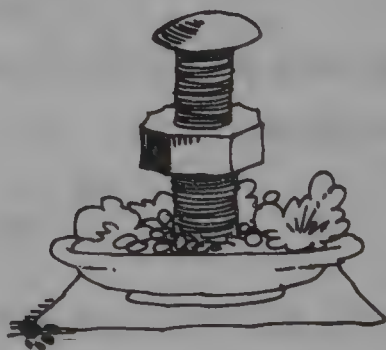
Is the squirt from an elephant's trunk very powerful?

Of course – a jumbo jet can keep 500 people in the air for hours at a time.



How does Frankenstein eat his food?

He bolts it down.



Why did the cowboy die with his boots on?

'Cos he didn't want to stub his toes when he kicked the bucket.



What were the only creatures not to go into the ark in pairs?

Maggots. They went in an apple.



Where can you dance in California?

San Fran-disco.



Why is it bad to upset a cannibal?

You end up in hot water.



What's a skeleton?  
Bones with people  
scraped off.



What happens if you tell a psychiatrist you are schizophrenic?

He charges you double.



"Do you serve women in this bar?"

"No sir, you have to bring your own."



Did you hear about the man who ate 106 cloves of garlic a day?

He was taken to hospital in a coma. Doctors said it was from inhaling his own breath.



What happens if you play table tennis with a bad egg?  
First it goes ping, then it goes pong.



What's the difference between a coyote and a flea?  
One howls on the prairie, and the other prowls on the hairy.



Who is Wyatt Burp?  
The sheriff with the repeater.



Golfer: "Caddy, why do you keep looking at your watch?"  
Caddy: "It's not a watch, it's a compass."



What do you get if you cross a witch with an ice cube?  
A cold spell.



What's the best thing to put into a pizza?

Your teeth.



What did the Eskimo children sing when their teacher was leaving?

"Freeze a Jolly Good Fellow."



Why is it difficult to open a piano?

Because all the keys are inside.



How do hens dance?

Chick to chick.



Why is the red-headed boy like a biscuit?

Because he's a ginger nut.



What is black, gushes out of the ground and shouts "Excuse me"?

Refined oil.



What's a cannibal's favourite game?

Swallow my leader.



What do you get if you cross a galaxy with a toad?

Star Warts.



Which bird is always out of breath?

A puffin.



What do you get if you pour hot water down a rabbit hole?

Hot cross bunnies!



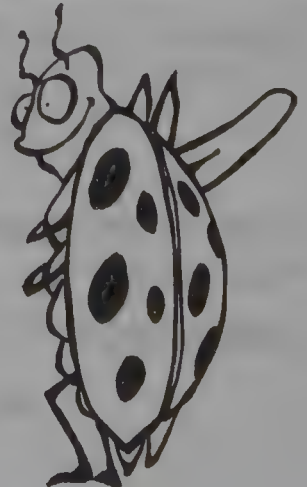
On which side does a chicken have the most feathers?

On the outside.



What's the best way to avoid being troubled by biting insects?

Don't bite any!



What should you give short elves?

Elf-raising flour.



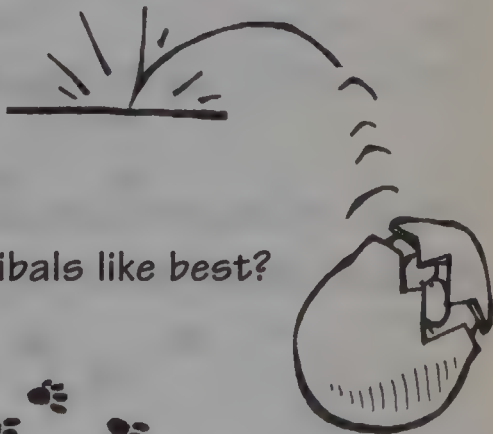
What do you get if you cross a frog with a decathlete?

Someone who pole vaults without a pole.



How can you drop an egg 6 feet without breaking it?

By dropping it 7 feet – it won't break for the first six.



What kind of beans do cannibals like best?

Human beans.



Did you hear about the burglar who fell in the cement mixer?

Now he's a hardened criminal.



What's the best thing to give a seasick elephant?

Plenty of room.



Why was the mother kangaroo cross with her children?  
Because they ate fries in bed.



Did you hear about the two fat men who ran in the  
New York Marathon?

One ran in short bursts, the other in burst shorts!



What's the easiest way to make a banana split?  
Cut it in half.



How do we know that Rome was built at night?  
Because all the books say it wasn't built in a day!



What do you get if you cross a  
terrier with a vegetable?

A Jack Brussel.



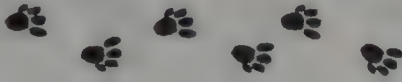
Why do barbers  
make good  
drivers?



Because they know all the short cuts.

What happened to the tailor who made his trousers from sunblind material?

Every time the sun came out, the trousers rolled down.



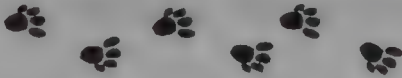
What is a dimple?

A pimple going the wrong way.



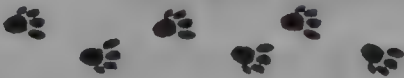
What's the difference between a square peg in a round hole and a block of lard?

One's a fat lot of good and the other's a good lot of fat!



What's hairy and damp and sits shivering at fairs?

A coconut with a cold.



Who painted the  
Mona Lisa and  
invented fizzy drinks?  
Lemonado Da Vinci.



What's a twip?

What a wabbit calls a twain ride!

Which two letters are rotten for your teeth?

D K

What did the  
speak-your-weight  
machine say when the  
fat lady stepped on?

"One at a time, please."



Girl: "Shall I put the kettle on?"

Boy: "No, I think you look all right in the dress you're wearing."

Which animals were the last to leave the ark?

The elephants – they were packing their trunks.

"I have two noses, three eyes and only one ear. What am I?"

"Very ugly."

What is a man who tests people's eyes called?

An optimist.

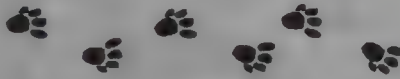


Why did the old lady cover her mouth with her hands  
when she sneezed?

To catch her false teeth.



Why did the mad man go out and buy a set of tools?  
Because everyone kept telling him he had a screw loose.



How do you catch a squirrel?

Climb up a tree and act like a nut.



What did Noah do for a living?

Preserving pears.



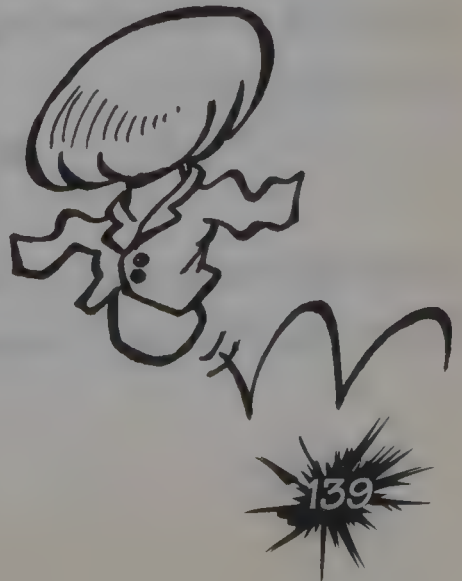
Why did the elephant paint her head yellow?

To see if blondes really do have more fun.



Which vegetable goes  
best with jacket potatoes?

Button mushrooms.



What's the difference between a nail and a boxer?  
One gets knocked in, the other gets knocked out.



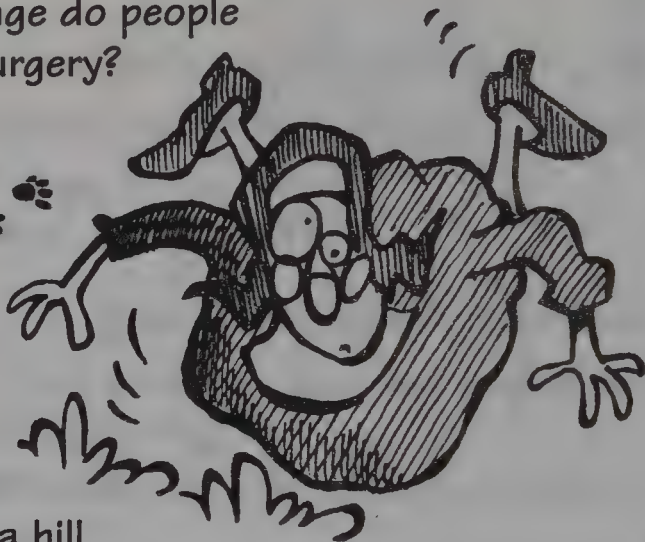
What kind of bandage do people wear after heart surgery?

Ticker tape.



What's black and white, black and white, black and white?

A nun rolling down a hill.



What kind of jokes does a chiropodist like?

Corny jokes.



What has webbed feet and fangs?

Count Quackula.



What did one magician say to another?

"Who was that girl I sawed you with last night?"

What was the fly doing in the alphabet soup?

Learning to spell.



How did the Vikings communicate with one another?

By Norse code.

What do you do if you split your sides laughing?

Run until you get a stitch.

How can you tell an old person from a young person?

An old person can sing and brush their teeth at the same time.

What did Enormous Eric win when he lost 50 pounds in weight?

The Nobelly Prize.

How many skunks does it take to make a big stink?

A phew!

Why was the man arrested for looking at sets of dentures in a dentist's window?

Because it was against the law to pick your teeth in public.



What do you do if your nose goes on strike?

Picket.



Do undertakers enjoy their job?

Of corpse they do.



There were ten zebras in the zoo.

All but nine escaped.

How many were left?

Nine!



Why are pianos so noble?

Because they're either upright or grand.



What gets bigger the more you take away?

A hole.



Why did the undertaker chop all his corpses into little bits?

Because he liked them to rest in pieces.



Did you hear the story of the three wells?

Well, well, well.



Why was the insect thrown out of the forest?

Because he was a litter bug.



What did the undertaker say to his girlfriend?

"Em-balmy about you."



What happened when the cat swallowed a penny?

There was money in the kitty.



What did the traffic light say to the motorist?

"Don't look now, I'm changing."



"What's your dad getting for Christmas?"

"Bald and fat."



What did the neurotic pig say to the farmer?

"You take me for grunted."



What do athletes  
order in the café?

Runner Beans.



What did the beaver say to the tree?

It's good to gnaw you.



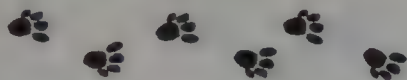
Why did the composer spend all his time in bed?

He wrote sheet music.



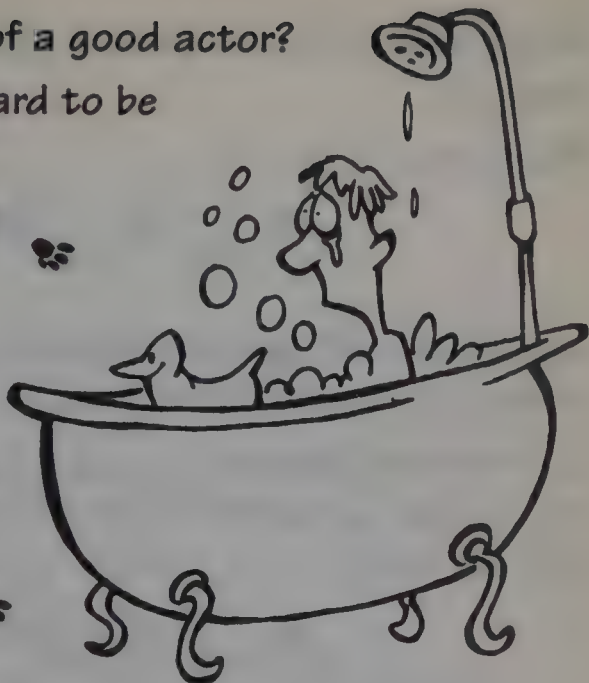
What's the definition of a good actor?

Somebody who tries hard to be everybody but himself.



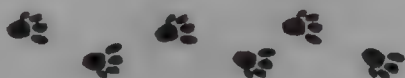
When is the water in the bath musical?

When it's piping hot.



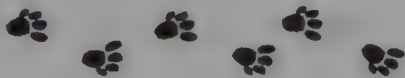
Did you hear that Dumb Donald got splinters in his fingers?

He'd been scratching his head!



Do men always snore?

No. Only when they're asleep.



Why did the old lady walk around with her purse open?  
She'd read there was going to be some change in the weather.



Which hand should you use to stir your tea?  
Neither – you should use a spoon!

What kind of musical instrument can you use for fishing?

The cast-a-net.



What's the difference between a crossword expert, a greedy boy and a pot of glue?

A crossword expert is a good puzzler and the greedy boy's a pud guzzler. The pot of glue? Ah, that's where you get stuck.



What's the very lowest game you can play?

Baseball.



What game do little cannibals like to play at parties?

Swallow my leader.



What's a cannibal's favourite drink?

Wine with a lot of body.



What is bright red and dumb?

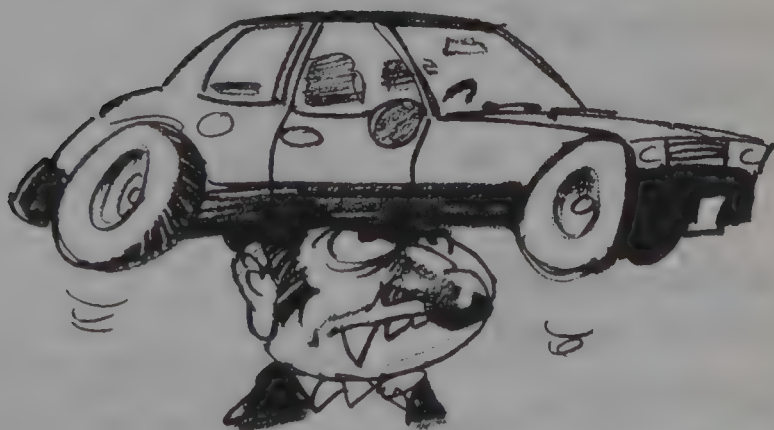
A blood clot.

What did the little porcupine saw when it walked into  
a cactus?

"Hello, Mum."



What's the cannibal's favourite restaurant called?  
Man Alive.



What do you call a vampire with a car on his head?  
Jack.



How do you survive the electric chair?  
Insulate your underpants.



If you have a referee in football, and an umpire in  
cricket, what do you have in bowls?  
Goldfish.

What kind of snake is useful on your window?

A viper.



Why don't astronauts get hungry after being blasted into space?

Because they've just had a big launch.



How do pixies eat?

By goblin.



Why did the orange stop rolling down the hill?

It ran out of juice.



What do you get if you cross a cow and a camel?

Lumpy milkshakes!



What do you get if you cross a sheep dog and a bunch of daisies?

Collie-flowers!

What do you get if you cross an elephant and peanut butter?

Either peanut butter that never forgets, or an elephant that sticks to the roof of your mouth.



What do you get if you cross a zebra and a donkey?

A zeedonk.



What do you get if you cross a kangaroo and a mink?

A fur jumper with pockets.



Who makes suits and eats spinach?

Popeye the Tailorman.



What do you get if you cross a sheep and a rainstorm?

A wet blanket.



What do you get if you cross a centipede and a parrot?

A walkie-talkie.



What did the little eye say to the big eye?

"Aye, aye, Captain!"



How do you make gold soup?

Use fourteen carats.



What goes ninety-nine donk, ninety-nine donk?

A centipede with a wooden leg.



If King Kong went to Hong Kong to play ping-pong and died, what would they put on his coffin?

A lid.



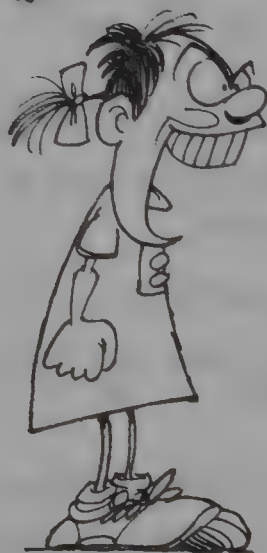
"Why are you taking that steel wool home?"

"I'm going to knit myself a car."



What can you make that can't be seen?

A noise.



What lives in a pod and is a Kung Fu expert?

Bruce Pea.



What's big, hairy and can fly?

King Koncorde.



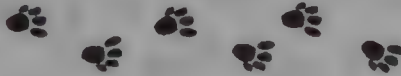
What kind of cans  
are there in Mexico?

Mexicans.



What is yellow and goes click-click?

A ballpoint banana.



Have you heard the joke  
about the wall?

You'd never get over it.



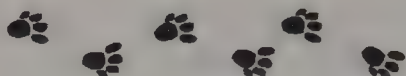
Where does Tarzan buy his clothes?

At a Jungle Sale.



What has four eyes and a mouth?

The Mississippi.



How do you get rid of varnish?

Take away the R.



What fish do dogs chase?

Catfish.



If a crocodile makes shoes, what does a banana make?

Slippers.



What is it that even the most careful person overlooks?

His nose.



What is a tornado?

Mother Nature doing the twist.



What pet makes the loudest noise?

A trum-pet.



Where is Dracula's office in America?

In the Vampire State Building.



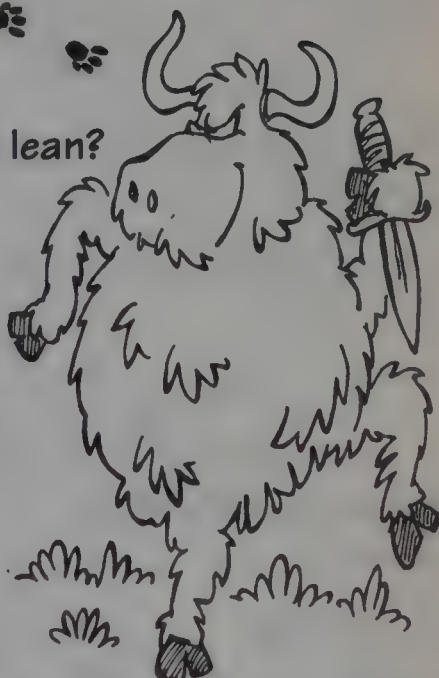
What makes the Tower of Pisa lean?

It doesn't eat much.



What do you get if you cross a  
worm with a young goat?

A dirty kid.



Will you remember me in one day's time?

Of course I will.

Will you remember me in a week's time?

Of course I will.

Will you remember me in a year's time?

Of course I will.

Will you remember me in ten years' time?

Of course I will.

Knock, knock.

Who's there?

See – you've forgotten already!

How many days of the week start with the letter T?

Four: Tuesday, Thursday, today and tomorrow.



What kind of ant is good at adding up?

An accountant.



Passer-by (to fisherman): "Is this river any good for fish?"

Fisherman: "It must be. I can't get any of them to leave it."



What dog smells of onions?

A hot dog.



What lies on the ground, has 100 feet up in the air and smells?

A dead centipede.



Who is the biggest gangster in the sea?

Al Caprawn.

Which soldiers smell of salt and pepper?

Seasoned troopers.

Where do ghosts  
go swimming ?

In the Dead Sea.

Why is perfume obedient?

Because it is scent wherever it goes.

What illness did everyone on the Enterprise catch?

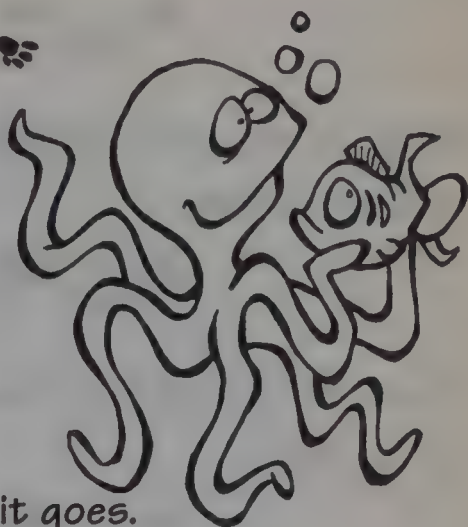
Chicken Spocks.

What's black and white, pongs and hangs from a line?

A drip-dry skunk.

What do you call a man with cow droppings all over  
his shoes?

An incowpoop.



What did the grape do when the elephant sat on it?  
It let out a little wine.



What do you get if you cross a nun and a chicken?  
A pecking order.



Where do snowmen go to dance?  
A snowball.



What does Luke Skywalker shave with?  
A laser blade.



What do frogs drink?  
Croaka-Cola.



What happens when a frog's  
car breaks down?  
It gets toad away.



Who is in cowboy films and is always broke?

Skint Eastwood.



What's the fastest thing in water?

A motor-pike.



Which capital city cheats at exams?

Peking.



What do you call a flea that lives in an idiot's ear?

A space invader.



What is a sea monster's favourite food?

Fish and ships.



What did the spider say to the beetle?

"Stop bugging me."



What do cats prefer  
for breakfast?

Mice Crispies.



What's worse  
than a giraffe with a sore throat?

A centipede with athlete's foot.



What is the best thing to take into the desert?

A thirst-aid kit.



What do you call a highwayman who is ill?

Sick Turpin.



What did the tie say to the hat?

"You go on ahead and I'll hang around."



What did the picture say to the wall?

"I've got you covered."

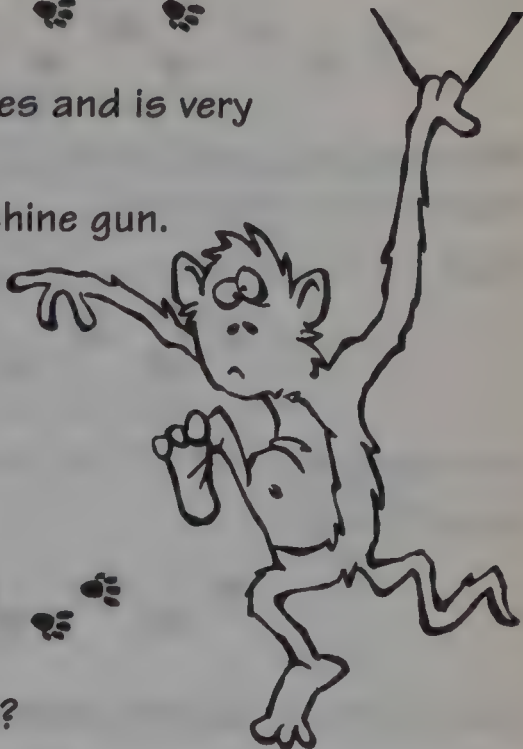


Where does a general keep his armies?  
Up his sleeve.



What swings through trees and is very dangerous?

A chimpanzee with a machine gun.



Who was the first underwater spy?

James Bond.



How do you milk a mouse?

You can't – the bucket won't fit under it.



What is hairy and coughs?

A coconut with the flu.



What's the fastest cake in the world?

Meriiiiiiiiiiiiiiingue.



What do you call a foreign body  
in a chip pan?

An Unidentified Frying Object.



When is it bad luck to be  
followed by a black cat?

When you're a mouse.



What cake wanted to rule the world?

Attila the Bun.



How did Noah see the animals in the Ark?

By floodlighting.



What do cannibals eat for breakfast?

Buttered host.



What has four legs, whiskers, a tail and flies?

A dead cat.



How does an elephant go up a tree?

It stands on an acorn and waits for it to grow.



"Have you ever seen a man-eating tiger?"

"No, but in the café next door I once saw a man eating chicken!"



What lies at the bottom of the sea and shivers?

A nervous wreck.



Why did the man take a pencil to bed?

To draw the curtains...



Why does an ostrich have such a long neck?

Because its head is so far from its body.



Why did the burglar take a shower?

He wanted to make a clean getaway.

What do you call an American drawing?

Yankee Doodle.



Why do bears wear fur coats?

They'd look silly in plastic macs.



What do you call a mayfly with  
a machine gun?

A baddy-long-legs.



What's a mermaid?

A deep-she fish.



What is cowhide most used for?

Holding cows together.



"What's the difference between a Peeping Tom and  
someone who's just got out of the bath?"

"One is rude and nosy. The other is nude and rosy."



Did you hear about the sword swallower who  
swallowed an umbrella?

He wanted to put something away for a rainy day.



First cat: "How did you get on in the milk-drinking  
contest?"

Second cat: "Oh, I won by six laps!"



Why did the lizard go on a diet?

It weighed too much for its scales.



Why didn't the banana snore?

'Cos it was afraid to wake up the rest of the bunch.



Why are fried onions like a photocopying machine?

They keep repeating themselves.



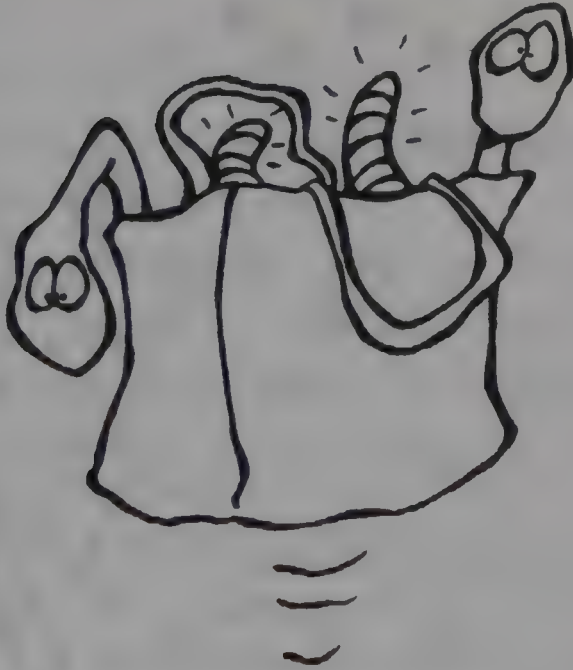
What do you call an American with a lavatory on his  
head?

John.





# A Mixed Bag



"They're not growing bananas any longer."

"Really? Why not?"

"Because they're long enough already."



"At our local restaurant you can eat dirt cheap – but who wants to eat dirt?"



The wonderful Wizard of Oz  
Retired from business becoz  
What with up-to-date science  
To most of his clients  
He wasn't the wizard he woz.



"Waiter, how long have you  
worked here?"

"Six months, sir."

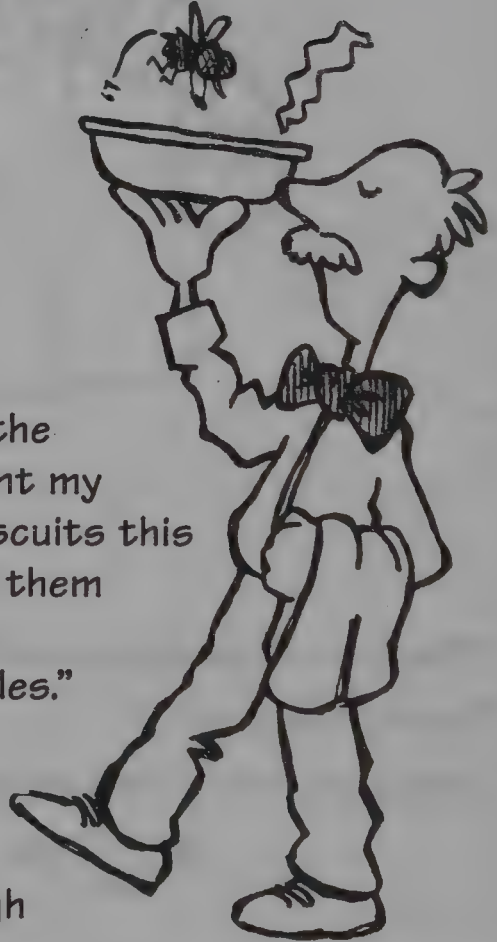
"Well, it can't have been you  
who took my order."



An irate woman burst into the  
baker's shop and said: "I sent my  
son in for two pounds of biscuits this  
morning but when I weighed them  
there was only one pound. I  
suggest you check your scales."

The baker looked at her  
calmly for a moment or  
two and then replied:

"Madam, I suggest you weigh  
your son."



Two shark fishermen were sitting on the side of their boat just off the coast of Florida, cooling their feet in the sea. Suddenly an enormous shark swam up and bit off one fisherman's leg.

"A shark's just bitten off my leg," yelled the fisherman.

"Which one?" asked his friend.

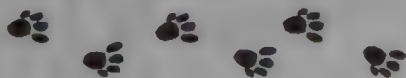
"I don't know," replied the first, "when you've seen one shark, you've seen them all."



A doctor visited his patient in the hospital ward after the operation. "I've got some bad news – we amputated the wrong leg. Now the good news – the man in the next bed wants to buy your slippers."



There's a large crack in the sitting room of Jimmy's house so he goes around telling everyone that he's from a broken home.



Knock, Knock.

Who's there?

Armageddon.

Armageddon who?

Armageddon out of here!



"Doctor, doctor, I think I'm a spoon."

"Sit over there, please, and don't stir."



There was once a puppy called May who loved to pick quarrels with animals who were bigger than she was. One day she argued with a lion. The next day was the first of June.

Why?

Because that was the end of May!



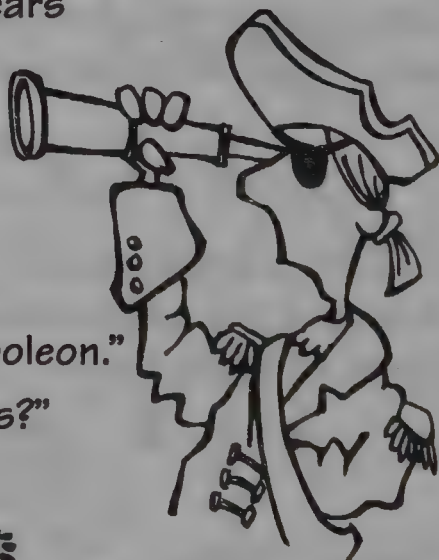
Britain's oldest lady was 115 years old today, and she hasn't got a grey hair on her head. She's completely bald.



"Doctor, doctor, I think I'm Napoleon."

"How long have you felt like this?"

"Ever since Waterloo."



"Doctor, I keep stealing things. What can I do?"

"Try to resist the temptation, but if you can't, get me a new television."



"Waiter, waiter, this lobster's only got one claw."

"It must have been in a fight, Sir."

"Then bring me the winner."



"I didn't recognise you for a minute. It was one of the happiest minutes of my life."



"She's such a gossip it doesn't take her long to turn an earful into a mouthful."



"Claire's singing is improving.  
People are putting cotton  
wool in only one ear now."



"My dog saw a sign that said:  
'Wet Paint' – so he did!"



"Doctor, doctor, my left leg is giving me a lot of pain."

"I expect that's old age."

"But my right leg is as old, and that doesn't hurt at all!"



A refuse collector was walking along whistling while balancing a bin on his head and one on each shoulder. "How do you manage to do that?" asked Jane.

"It's easy," replied the refuse collector man. "Just put your lips together and blow."



Psychiatrist: "Well, what's your problem?"

Patient: "I prefer brown shoes to black shoes"

Psychiatrist: "There's nothing wrong with that. Lots of people prefer brown shoes to black shoes. I do myself."

Patient: "Really? How do you like yours - fried or boiled"



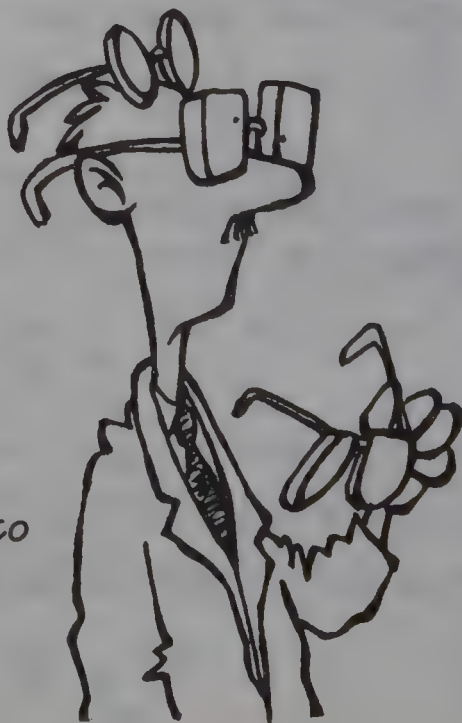
"Doctor, doctor, I keep losing my memory."

"When did you first notice that?"

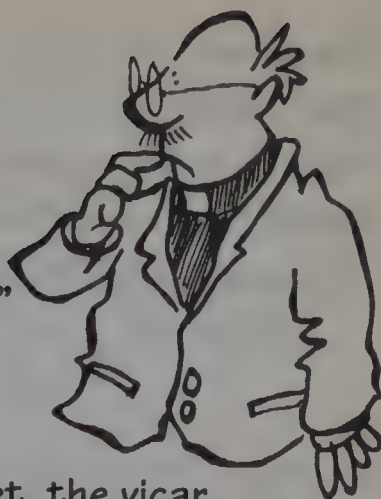
"When did I first notice what?"



The seaside resort we went to last year was so boring that one day the tide went out and never came back.



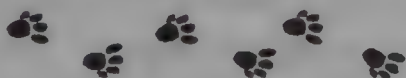
"Little Miss Muffet  
Sat on a tuffet  
Eating a bowl of stew  
Along came a spider  
And sat down beside her.  
Guess what? She ate him up too!"



As he was walking along the street, the vicar  
saw a little girl trying to reach a high door knocker.  
Anxious to help, the vicar went over to her. "Let me  
do it, dear," he said, rapping the knocker vigorously.  
"Great!" said the girl, "Now run like hell."



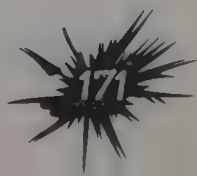
"Waiter, waiter, why is my apple pie all mashed up?"  
"You did ask me to step on it, sir."



First lion: "Every time I eat, I feel sick."  
Second lion: "I know. It's hard to keep a good man down."



Knock, knock.  
Who's there?  
Francis.  
Francis who?  
Francis a country in Europe.



The wizard who had invented a flying carpet was interviewed for a local radio station.

"What's it like, Merlin, to fly on a magic carpet?" asked the radio presenter.

"Rugged," replied Merlin.



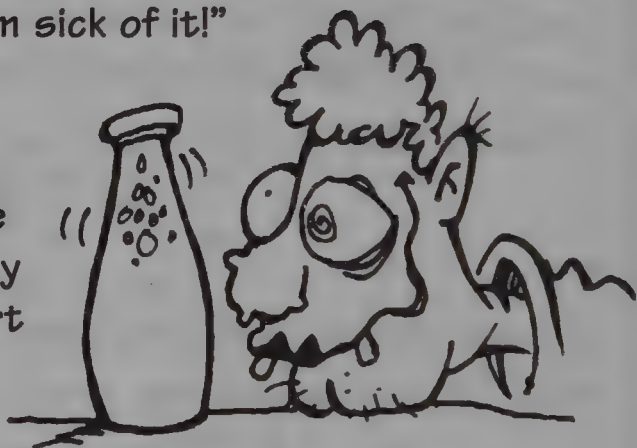
Sharon: "I'm so homesick."

Sheila: "But this is your home!"

Sharon: "I know, and I'm sick of it!"



Did you hear about the woman who was so ugly she could make yoghurt by staring at a pint of milk for an hour?



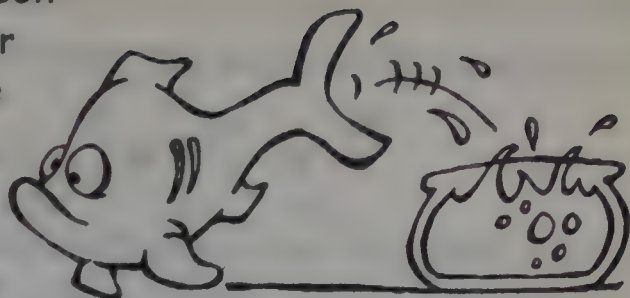
Sign in a launderette: "Those using automatic washers should remove their clothes when the lights go out."



Sign in a shop window:

FOR SALE Pedigree bulldog. House trained. Eats anything. Very fond of children.

"Good news! I've been given a goldfish for my birthday... the bad news is that I don't get the bowl until my next birthday!"



"No, no, no!" said the enraged businessman to the persistent salesman. "I cannot see you today!"

"That's fine," said the salesman, "I'm selling spectacles!"



"Keep that dog out of my garden. It smells disgusting!" a neighbour said to a small boy one day. The boy went home to tell everyone to stay away from the neighbour's garden because of the smell!



Knock, knock.

Who's there?

Dishes.

Dishes who?

Dishes the way I talk now I've got falsh teeth.



When George left school he was going to be a printer.  
All the teachers said he was the right type.



"Doctor, how can I cure myself of sleepwalking?"

"Sprinkle drawing pins on your bedroom floor."



"Doctor, doctor! I feel like a sheep!"

"That's baaaaaad!"



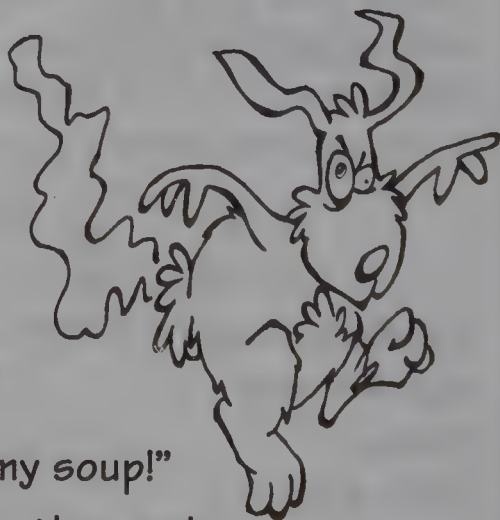
"Doctor, doctor! I feel like an apple!"

"We must get to the core of this."



"Doctor, doctor! I feel  
like a dog!"

"Sit!"



"I say waiter, there's a fly in my soup!"

"Well, throw him a doughnut – they make  
super lifebelts!"



"Doctor, doctor! I think I need glasses!"

"You certainly do, madam. This is a fish and chip shop."



Alex and Alan took their lunches to the local café to eat.

"Hey!" shouted the proprietor.

"You can't eat your own food in here!"

"Okay," said Alex. So he and Alan swapped their sandwiches.



Donald: "My canary died of flu."

Dora: "I didn't know canaries got flu."

Donald: "Mine flew into a car."



"I don't know what it is that makes you stupid but whatever it is, it works."



"Doctor, doctor, I'm nervous, this is the first brain operation I've had."

"Don't worry, it's the first I've performed."



"Doctor, doctor, I've got a little sty."e."

"Then you'd better buy a little pig."



Knock, knock.

Who's there?

Bella.

Bella who?

Bella not working, that's why  
I knocka.



First woman: "Whenever I'm down in  
the dumps I buy myself a new hat."

Second woman: "Oh, so that's where  
you get them."



"It was so hot when we went on holiday last year  
that we had to take turns sitting in each other's  
shadow."



Knock, knock.

Who's there?

Gopher.

Gopher who?

Gopher a walk over the cliff.



Robot: "I have to dry my feet carefully after a bath."

Monster: "Why?"

Robot: "Otherwise I get rusty nails."



Caspar: "I was the teacher's pet last year."

Jaspar: "Why was that?"

Caspar: "She couldn't afford a dog."



"I've got a good idea."

"Must be beginner's luck."



A little girl was next in line. "My name's Curtain," she said.

"I hope your first name's not Annette."

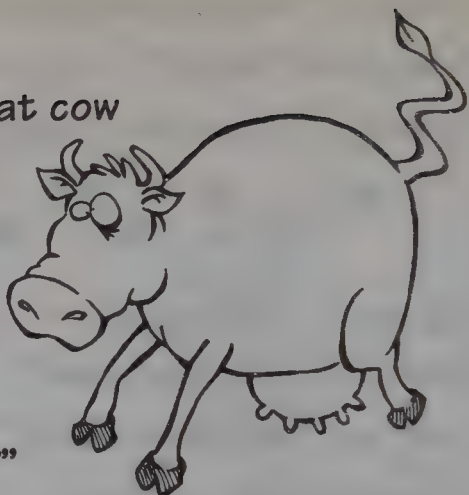
"No. It's Velvet."



Roger is so lazy that when he drops something he waits till he has to tie his shoelaces before he'll pick it up.



Mary had a bionic cow,  
It lived on safety pins.  
And every time she milked that cow  
The milk came out in tins.



Neil: "I've changed my mind."

Jim: "About time, too. Does  
the new one work any better?"

"Doctor, doctor, I've just swallowed the film from my  
camera."

"Well, let's hope nothing develops."

"Doctor, doctor, I think I'm invisible."

"Who said that?"

"What's your new dog's name?"

"Dunno - he won't tell me."

"You should get a job in the meteorology office."

"Why?"

"Because you're an expert on wind."



A man telephoned the airport. "How long does it take to get to London?"

"Just a minute."

"Thanks very much."



"Waiter, waiter, have you got frogs' legs?"

"No, Sir, I always walk like this."



Ben, (sniffing): "Smells like UFO for dinner tonight, chaps."

Ken: "What's UFO?"

Ben: "Unidentified Frying Objects."



Statistics say that one person in three is mentally ill. So check your friends and if two of them seem okay, you're the one.



"Waiter, waiter, there's a dead beetle in my gravy."

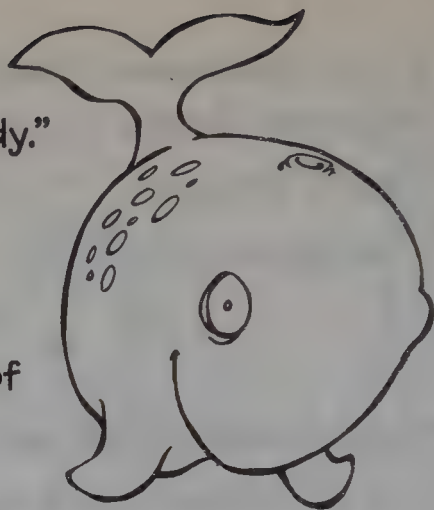
"Yes, sir. Beetles are terrible swimmers."



The Stock Market is a place where sheep and cattle are sold.

"Waiter, do you serve crabs?"

"Sit down, sir. We serve anybody."



There was a fight in the fish shop last night – a whole lot of fish got battered!

Two fleas were sitting on Robinson Crusoe's back as he lay on the beach in the sun. "Well, so long," said one to the other, "I'll see you on Friday."

"Doctor, doctor, I keep seeing double."

"Take a seat, please."

"Which one?"

Doctor: "You seem to be in excellent health, Mrs Brown. Your pulse is as steady and regular as clockwork."

Mrs Brown: "That's because you've got your hand on my watch."

Two fishermen were out in their boat one day when a hand appeared in the ocean.

"What's that?" asked the first fisherman. "It looks as if someone's drowning!"

"Nonsense," said the second. "It was just a little wave."



What did one cannibal say to the other cannibal?

"Who was that girl I saw you with last night?"

"That was no girl, that was my supper."



"I can't understand why people say my girlfriend's legs look like matchsticks. They do look like sticks – but they certainly don't match."

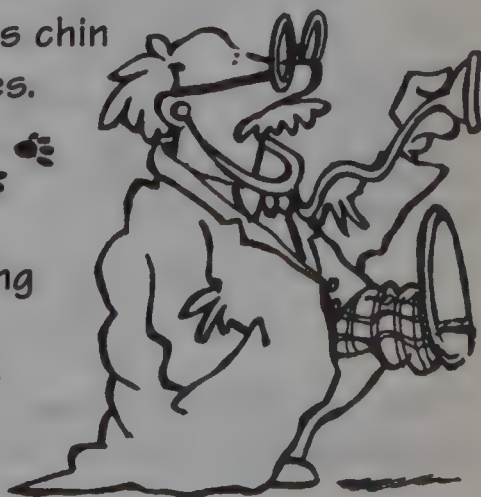


Albert Littleun is so small his chin has a rash from his bootlaces.



"Doctor, doctor, I keep thinking I'm a pair of curtains!"

"Pull yourself together, man."



"She's the kind of girl that boys look at twice – they can't believe it the first time."



"Some girls who are the picture of health are just painted that way."



Waiter: "And how did you find your meat, sir?"

Customer: "Oh, I just lifted a potato and there it was."



"You are so ugly your face would stop a clock."

"And yours would make one run."



Patient: "Tell me honestly, how am I?"

Dentist: "Your teeth are fine, but your gums will have to come out."



"Yes, I do like your dress – but isn't it a little early for Halloween?"



A catcall is when someone goes out at night saying,  
"Puss, puss, puss."



"Doctor, doctor, I can't stand being three feet tall  
any longer."

"Then you'll just have to learn to be a little patient."



Knock, knock.

Who's there?

Genoa.

Genoa who?

Genoa good place to eat?



"I'm speechless."

"Good, just stay that way."



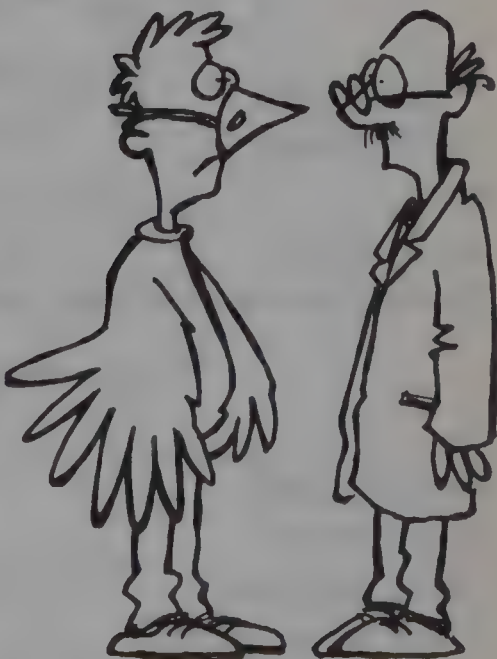
"Doctor, doctor, I keep  
thinking I'm a canary."

"I can't tweet you, go and see a vet."



"Doctor, doctor, I've only got 50 seconds to live."

"Just sit over there a minute."



"I bet I can make you speak like a Red Indian."

"How?"

"That's right!"



Knock, knock.

Who's there?

Olive.

Olive who?

Olive across the road.



Knock, knock.

Who's there?

Fanny.

Fanny who?

Fanny the way you keep saying "Who's there?"



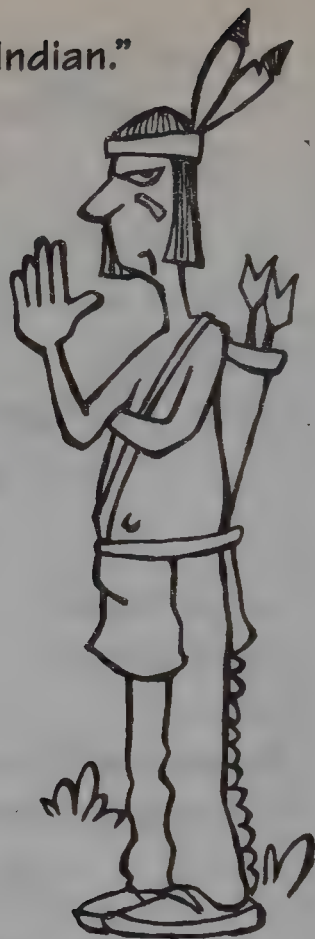
Knock, knock.

Who's there?

Little old lady.

Little old lady who?

I didn't know you could yodel.



"Is this a second-hand shop?"

"Yes, sir."

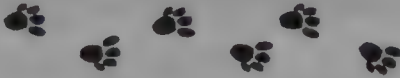
"Good. Can you fit one on my watch, please?"



"In the park this morning I was surrounded by lions."

"Lions! In the park?"

"Yes – dandelions!"



"How's your business coming along?"

"I'm looking for a new cashier."

"But you only had a new one last week."

"That's the one I'm looking for."



"I'll lend you a pound if you promise not to keep it too long."

"Oh, I won't. I'll spend it right away."



"A pound of kiddies, please, butcher."

"You mean a pound of kidneys."

"That's what I said, diddie I?"



"Have you any invisible ink?"

"Certainly, sir. What colour?"



An extremely tall man with round shoulders, very long arms and one leg six inches shorter than the other went into a tailor's shop.

"I'd like to see a suit that will fit me," he told the tailor.

"So would I, sir," the tailor sympathised. "So would I."

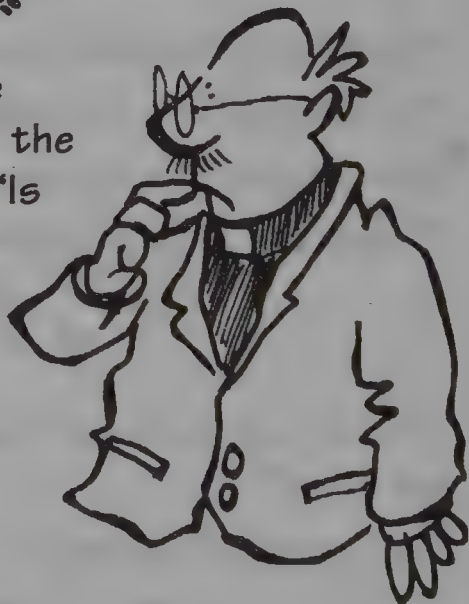


As two boys were passing the vicarage, the vicar leaned over the wall and showed them a ball. "Is this yours?" he asked.

"Did it do any damage, Vicar?" said one of the boys.

"No," replied the vicar.

"Then it's mine."



As the judge said to the dentist: "Do you swear to pull the tooth, the whole tooth, and nothing but the tooth?"



"A noise woke me up this morning."

"What was that?"

"The crack of dawn."



"This match won't light."

"That's funny – it did this morning."



"It can't go on! It can't go on!"

"What can't go on?"

"This baby's vest – it's too small for me."



"It's gone forever – gone forever I tell you."

"What has?"

"Yesterday."



"Good morning, sir. I'm applying for the job as handyman."

"I see. Well, are you handy?"

"Couldn't be more so. I only live next door."



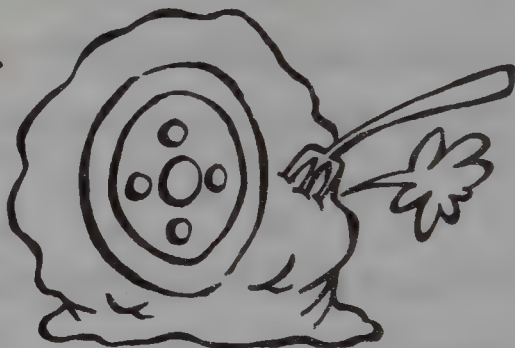
"Just think – a big chocolate ice cream, a bag of scrumptious toffees, and a seat at the cinema for 50 pence."

"Did you get all that for 50 pence?"

"No – but just think...!"

"I wonder where I got that puncture."

"Maybe it was at that last fork in the road..."



Did you hear about the girl who got engaged to a chap and then found out he had a wooden leg?  
She broke it off, of course...

"Waiter, waiter, there's a bird in my soup."

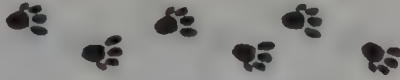
"That's all right, sir. It's bird's nest soup."

Vegetarian: "I've lived on nothing but vegetables for years."

Bored listener: "That's nothing. I've lived on Earth all my life."

"Waiter, waiter, this coffee tastes like mud."

"I'm not surprised, sir, it was ground only a few minutes ago."



"Waiter, waiter, does the pianist play requests?"

"Yes, sir"

"Then ask him to play tiddlywinks until I've finished my meal."

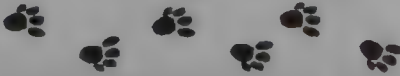


"Waiter, waiter, your tie is in my soup!"

"That's all right, sir. It's not shrinkable."



A charming young singer named Hannah,  
Got caught in a flood in Savannah;  
As she floated away,  
Her sister, they say,  
Accompanied her on the piannah!



"Five pounds for one question!"  
said the woman to the  
fortune teller. "That's very  
expensive, isn't it?"

"Next!"

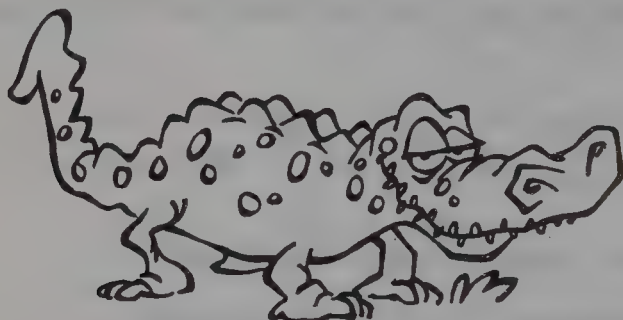


An irate customer in a restaurant complained that his fish was bad, so the waiter picked it up, smacked it and said, "Naughty, naughty, naughty!"



"Bring me a crocodile sandwich immediately."

"I'll make it snappy, sir."



"Would you like to play with our new dog?"

"He looks very fierce. Does he bite?"

"That's what I want to find out."



"Doctor, doctor, I don't like all these flies buzzing around my head."

"Pick out the ones you like and I'll swat the rest."



Knock, knock.

Who's there?

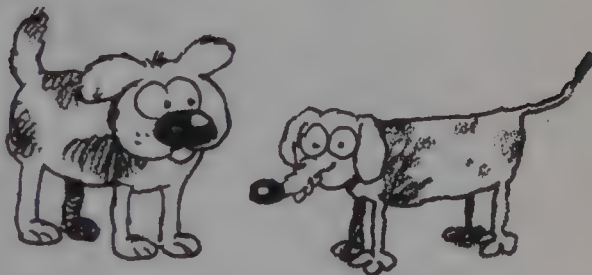
Sonia.

Sonia who?

Sonia shoe. I can smell it from here.



Mandy had a puppy on a lead. She met Sandy and said, "I just got this puppy for my little brother."



"Really?" said Sandy. "Whoever did you find to make a swap like that?"



Cannibal in restaurant: "I don't think much of your chef."

Waiter: "In that case, just eat the pudding."



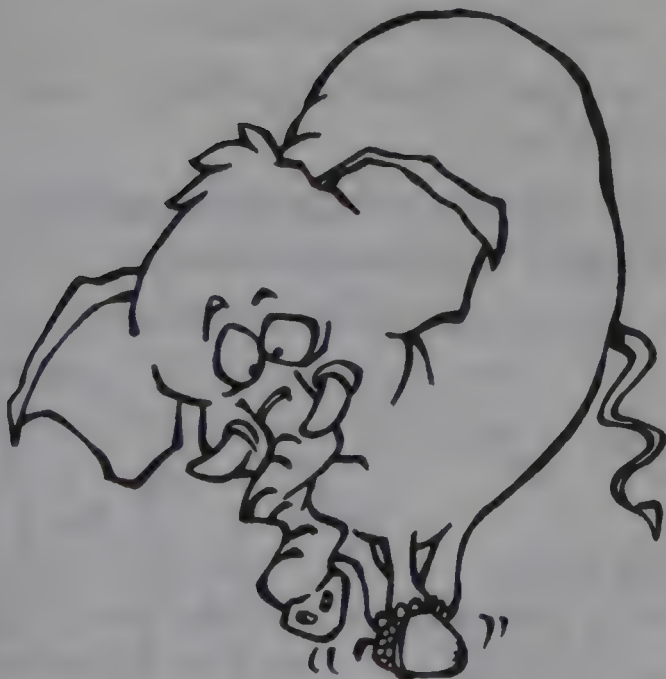
"Waiter, waiter, there's a fly in my soup!"

"Don't worry, sir, the spider in the butter will catch it."





# Animals



I call my dog "Camera" because he's always snapping.



What does a cat have that no other animal has?

Kittens.



Harry was driving his donkey cart through the country lanes when he came to a low bridge. He got out a hammer and chisel and was chipping away at the stonework when the local policeman came riding up on his bicycle.

"What are you doing Harry?" he asked.

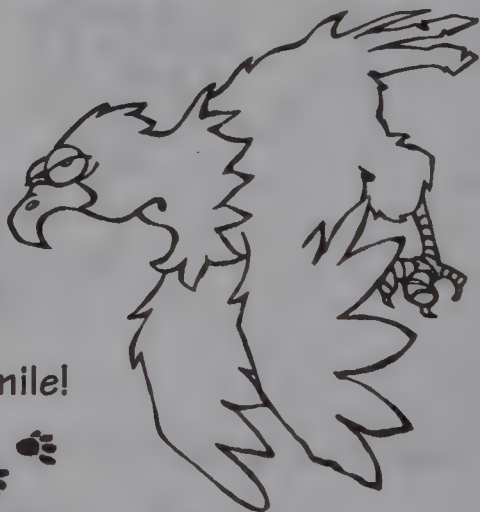
"This bridge is too low, officer," said Harry, "I can't get my donkey through."

"So why don't you dig the ground up instead of damaging the bridge?" said the policeman.

"Don't be daft, it's not his legs that are too long – it's his ears!"



What do you get if you  
cross a lion with a parrot?  
I don't know, but if he says  
"Pretty Polly", you'd better smile!



A man was boasting about the number of fish he had caught in a lake. "Mind you," he said, "they were biting easily. Why, I had to hide behind a tree to bait my hook!"



What did the lion say when it saw two hunters in a jeep?  
"Meals on wheels."

Two birds were sitting on the branch of a tree close to an airport. Suddenly the calm of the summer's afternoon was broken by the roar of a plane screaming through the sky. As the noise died away, one bird turned to the other and said, "I bet you'd go that fast if your tail was on fire!"



Man at auction: "I've bid a great deal of money for that parrot – are you sure he can talk?"

Auctioneer: "Of course I am sure – he's been bidding against you!"



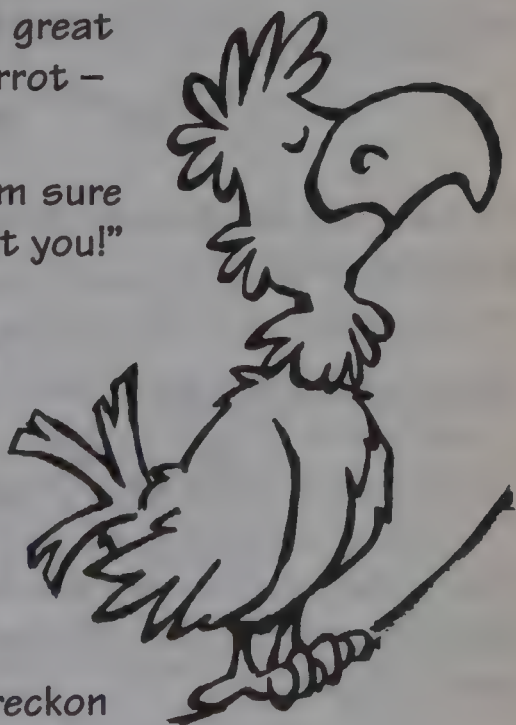
A farmer was showing a schoolboy around his farm when they came to a field where the farmer's sheep were grazing.

"How many sheep do you reckon there are?" asked the farmer.

"Seven hundred and sixty-four," replied the boy after a few seconds.

"That's exactly right, boy. How did you count them so quickly?"

"Simple," replied the boy, "I just counted the legs and divided by four."

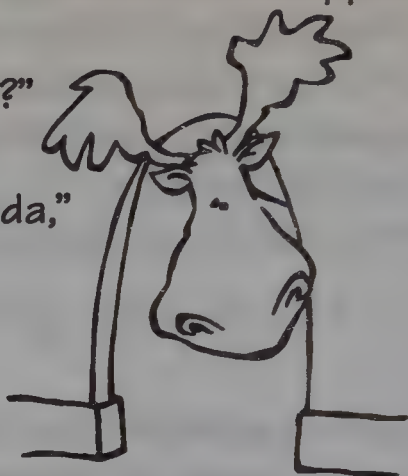


A Scotsman paying his first visit to the zoo stopped by one of the cages.

"What animal is that over there?" he asked the keeper.

"That's a moose, Sir, from Canada," replied the keeper.

"A moose!" exclaimed the Scotsman. "They must have rats like elephants over there!"



"If a horse's head is pointing north, where would its tail be pointing?"

"To the south."

"No – to the ground!"



When the cow fell over the cliff, little Sarah couldn't stop laughing. After all, there was no point in crying over spilled milk.



Peter's new kitten was sitting close to the fire and started to purr. This threw Peter into a panic. "Mum," he shouted, "the kitten's started to boil!"



"My cat took first prize at the bird show."

"Your cat took first prize at the bird show – how did he manage that?"

"He ate the prize canary."



A man went into a pet shop to buy a parrot. He was shown an especially fine one which he liked the look of, but he was puzzled by the two strings tied to its feet.

"What are they for?" he asked the pet shop manager.

"Ah, well sir," came the reply, "that's a very unusual feature of this particular parrot. You see, he's a trained parrot, sir – used to be in a circus. If you pull the string on his left foot, he says 'Hello,' and if you pull the string on his right foot, he says 'Goodbye'."

"And what happens if you pull both strings at the same time?"

"I fall off my perch, you fool!" screeched the parrot.



A cheap horseman went into a saddler's shop and asked for one spur.

"One spur?" asked the saddler. "Surely you mean a pair of spurs, sir?"

"No, just one. If I can get one side of the horse to go, the other side is bound to follow!"

Two fleas were running across the top of a packet of soap powder.

"Why are we running so fast?" gasped one.

"Because it says 'Tear along the dotted line.' "



How do you make a glow-worm happy?

Cut off its tail – it will be de-lighted.



What do you call a mayfly with a machine gun?

Baddy Long Legs.



Which fly captured the ladybird?

The dragonfly.



What would you give a nervous elephant?

Trunkquillisers.



What do you call a bug that lives in Russia?

A Moscow-ito.

What's a budgie's favourite TV programme?

Coronation Tweet.



What birds spend all of their time on their knees?

Birds of prey.



What bird's good for fixing holes?

Polly-filla.



Why is a sofa like a roast chicken?

Because they're both full of stuffing.



What do you get if your budgie flies into the blender?

Shredded Tweet.



What did they call the canary that flew into the pastry dish?

Tweetie Pie.



Why did the baby turkey bolt down his food?  
Because he was a little gobbler.



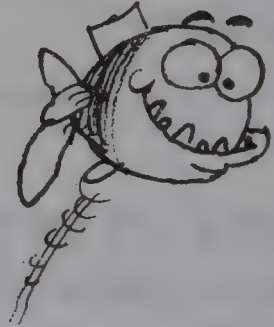
Where do shellfish go to borrow money?  
To the prawn broker.



Where do you weigh a whale?  
At the whale-weigh station.



Which fish sit on clouds  
and play the harp?  
Angel fish.



Where did the whale go when it was almost bankrupt?  
To the loan shark.



What's dry on the outside, filled with water and  
shoots rockets?  
A fish tank.



A frog walked into a library and asked the librarian what he would recommend.

"How about this?" asked the librarian, showing him *Toad of Toad Hall*.

"Reddit. Reddit." said the frog.



What's got two humps and changes colour?

A camel-ion.

What do rabbits call mobile homes?

Wheel-burrows.

"I shot my dog yesterday."

"Was he mad?"

"Well he wasn't very happy about it."

What do gnus read in the morning?

Gnus papers.



# Hilarious Howlers



Why should you never whisper in front of corn?  
Because it has ears.



Where does a sick ship go?  
To the doc.



How can you divide seven potatoes between four people?

Mash them.



Did you hear about the man who sent his beautiful but dumb girlfriend a parrot for Christmas? It could sing like an angel, recite Shakespeare like an actress and dance like a ballerina.

"What did you think of the bird?" he asked when they next met.

"It was a bit tough when I took it out of the microwave, so I boiled it with some herbs and it was delicious."

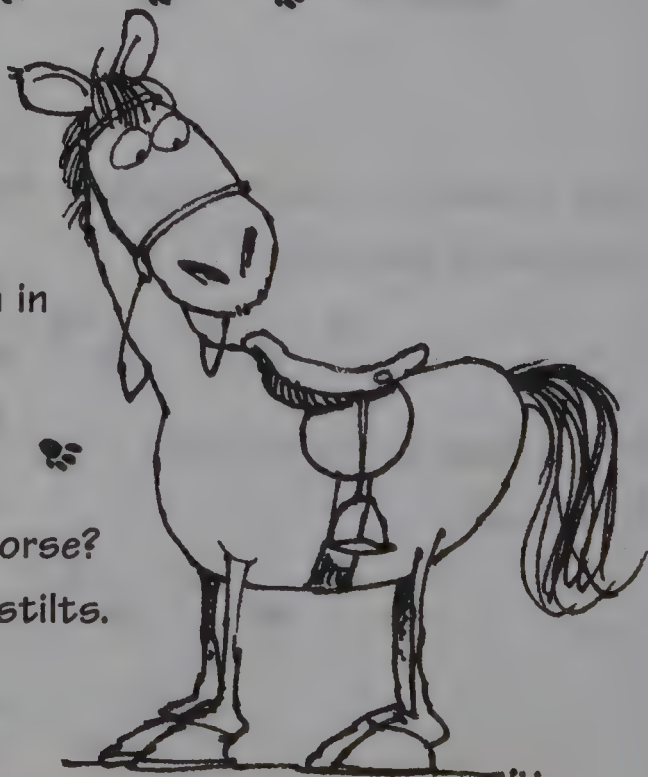


Did you hear about the man who swallowed an unplucked goose?

He felt a little down in the mouth.



How do you hire a horse?  
Buy it two pairs of stilts.



What did General Custer say when he saw the Indians coming over the hill?

"Here come the Indians."



What did the German clockmaker say to the broken clock?

"Ye have vays of making you tock."



Where do sick gnomes go to be cured?

A national elf service hospital.



Why is *Lord of the Rings* such compulsive reading?

Because it's hobbit forming.



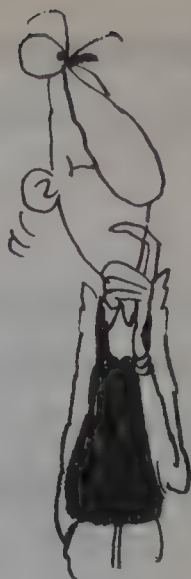
Did you hear about the miser who found a pair of crutches and broke his legs so he could use them?



Man at airport: "I'd like this bag to go to Moscow, this one to New York and this last one to Helsinki."

Steward: "I'm sorry, Sir. We can't do that."

Man: "Nonsense. That's what you did the last time I flew with you."



Which fly makes films?

Steven Spielbug.



"Got anything to eat, lady?" asked the tramp.

"Do you mind eating last week's leftovers?"

"Not at all."

"Good. Come back next week then."



What's copper nitrate?

A policeman's overtime.



Car buyer: "You told me this car was rust-free."

Salesman: "It was. I didn't charge you a penny for it."



What did the bald actor say when he thought about buying a wig?

"Toupee or not toupee?"



Why did the sculptor go mad?

Because she lost her marble.



"I think I'll change my name. Everyone seems to laugh at Michael Burps."

"What will you change it to?"

"John, I think."



The Argyll and Southern Highlanders lost every battle they fought, until in desperation they sent for a witch to magic them a lucky mascot.

The old hag consulted her spell book, gathered some ingredients together, and boiled them up. As they bubbled, she danced round the cauldron chanting the spell.

Suddenly, there was a puff of smoke and a huge demon appeared.

From that day on, they never lost a battle, which just goes to prove that demons are Argyll's best friend.



Why couldn't the jellyfish swim?

It set.



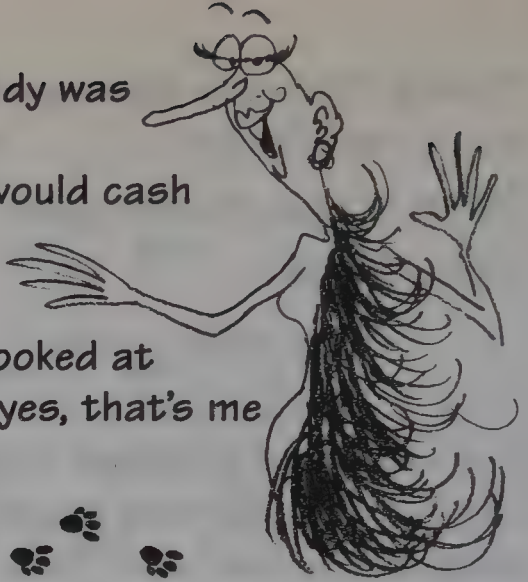
Which Scottish poet is hot stuff?

Burns.



A glamorous but stupid lady was asked by the bank clerk to identify herself before he would cash her cheque.

She rummaged in her handbag, found a mirror, looked at herself in it and said, "Oh yes, that's me alright!"



What would you do if lightning struck your toilet?  
Don't worry, it would just be a flash in the pan.



A little boy was doing his homework one evening and turned to his father and said, "Dad, where would I find the Andes?"

"Don't ask me," said his father. "Ask your mother. She puts everything away in this house."



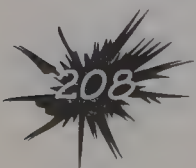
Two men were standing in a bus queue when one turned to the other and said, 'I had to take my dog to the vet yesterday.'

"Why was that?" asked the other.

"It bit my wife."

"Did you have it put to sleep?"

"No. I had its teeth sharpened."



Wife: "There's something preying on my mind."

Husband: "Don't worry. It'll soon die of starvation."



Boy: "Daddy, there's a man at the door with a beard."

Father: "Tell him your mother's got one already."



Barber: "Were you wearing a red scarf when you came in?"

Customer: "No."

Barber: "Oh dear, I've just cut your throat then!"



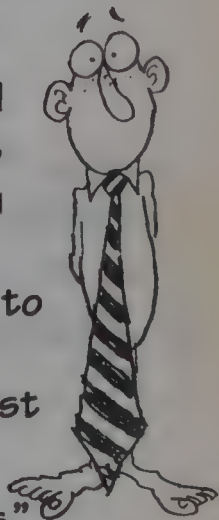
"I always say a prayer before a meal."

"So would I if I cooked like you do."



A small boy came into the confessional and told the priest that he had thrown peanuts into the river. The priest thought this was a strange little sin to confess to, but said nothing. The next small boy also confessed to throwing peanuts in the river, and the next. Finally, a very small boy came in, so the priest said, "Did you throw peanuts in the river?"

"No, Father," said the little boy, "I am Peanuts."



A city man was visiting the country and was praising the cleanliness of the air.

"So healthy to breathe!" he exclaimed. "No pollution like there is in the city."

"Ar," said a local, "I can't understand why they don't build the cities in the country."



Jeff came in the house, groaning and holding his stomach.

"Are you in pain?" asked his mum anxiously.

"No, the pain's in me!" replied Jeff.



As a large funeral parade was passing, a man on the pavement watching it go by asked a small boy, "Who's died?"

"I think it's the man in the coffin," replied the boy.



An angel in heaven was welcoming a new arrival.

"How did you get here," he said.

And the new angel replied, "Flu..."



A wife woke her husband in the middle of the night and whispered, "Alf! Alf! I was woken by noises downstairs. I went down, and there's a burglar in the kitchen, eating my fresh baked apple pie. Call 999."

"Who shall I ask for?" said Alf sleepily, "Police or ambulance?"



Overheard in court:

Witness: "He was as drunk as a judge."

Judge: "Don't you mean 'as drunk as a lord'?"

Witness: "Yes, my lord ..."



Fat man on a bus (to a schoolboy): "Why don't you be a gentleman and give up your seat for a lady?"

Schoolboy: "Why don't you be a gentleman and give two ladies your seat?"



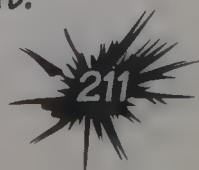
The cheapest man in the world went to the dentist with a toothache.

"I'm afraid they'll all have to come out," said the dentist gravely.

"How much will that cost?" asked the man.

"Two hundred pounds."

"Here's five pounds. Just loosen them a bit."



Teacher: "Today we are going to study *Macbeth* by Shakespeare."

Pupil: "My dad had dinner with Shakespeare last night."

Teacher: "But he's been dead for over 300 years."

Pupil: "Oh, really? Dad said he was a bit quiet."



Sadie: "I think my brother must be mad."

Sarah: "What makes you say that?"

Sadie: "He thinks he's a dog."

Sarah: "How long has this been going on?"

Sadie: "Ever since he was a puppy."



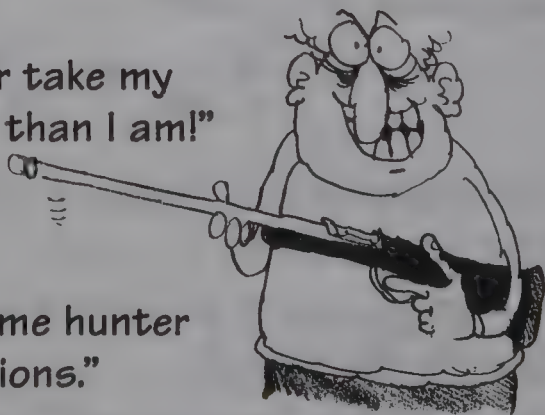
Tramp: "'Scuse me sir. Have you got a pound for a meal?"

Cheapskate: "No."

Tramp: "Well, have you got 50 pence for a bowl of soup?"

Cheapskate: "No."

Tramp: "Well, you'd better take my jacket – you're worse off than I am!"



Colin: "My dad's a big game hunter in Scotland. He shoots lions."

Charlie: "But there aren't any lions in Scotland."

Colin: "I know – Dad shot them all."

A violinist was convinced that he could use his musical talent to tame wild animals. So, violin in hand, he travelled to the heart of the African jungle to prove it.

No sooner had he begun to play than the jungle clearing was filled with animals of all kinds gathering to hear him play. Birds, lions, hippos, elephants – all stood around, entranced by his beautiful music.

Just then, a crocodile crept out of a nearby river and into the clearing, and – snap! – gobbled up the violinist.

The other animals were extremely angry. “What on earth did you do that for?” they demanded.

“Eh?” said the crocodile, cupping its hand to its ear.



Teacher: “Late again. What’s the excuse this time?”

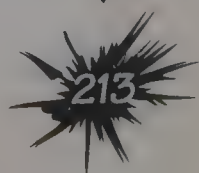
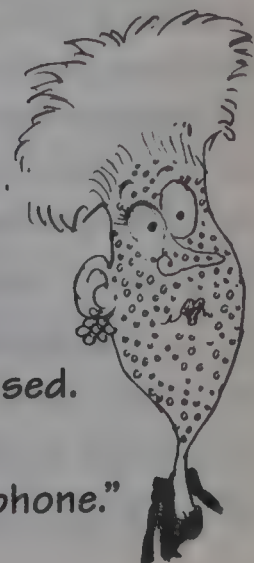
Pupil: “Sorry, Sir. There was a notice on the bus saying Dogs must be carried, and I couldn’t find one anywhere.”



A distraught patient called his doctor at two o’clock in the morning.

“I’m very sorry to disturb you at this time of the morning, doctor,” he apologised.

“Oh, that’s all right,” replied the doctor,  
“I had to get up anyway to answer the phone.”



Pete: "I haven't slept a wink for the past two nights.

Jimmy: Why's that?"

Pete: "Granny broke her leg. The doctor put it in plaster and told her she shouldn't walk upstairs. You should hear the noise when she climbs up drainpipes."



A little boy went into a sweet shop and asked for 10 pence worth of bonbons. The jar containing the bonbons was on the very top shelf, so the shopkeeper had to get a little ladder, climb up, get the jar, climb back down, measure out 10 pence worth, climb back up the ladder to replace the jar, and then climb back down again.

Just as he got to the bottom, another boy came into the shop and asked for 10 pence worth, and again the shopkeeper had to climb up the ladder, get the jar, climb back down, measure out 10 pence worth, climb back up the ladder to replace the jar, and then climb back down again.

In came a third boy, who also wanted 10 pence worth of bonbons, and then a fourth. By this time, the shopkeeper was getting exhausted, so when a fifth boy came in while he was still up the ladder, he said, "I suppose you want 10 pence worth of bonbons as well?"

"No I don't," said the boy.

So the shopkeeper put the jar back and came down the ladder.

"What can I get you then?"

"I'll have 20 pence worth of bonbons please."



Cheapskate: "How much for a haircut?"

Barber: "Five pounds."

Cheapskate: "How much for a shave?"

Barber: "Two pounds fifty."

Cheapskate: "Okay, shave my head."



A country boy on one of his rare visits to the market town saw a music stool in one of the shop windows. He went in, bought it and took it home. Two weeks later he was back at the shop in a furious rage.

"I been sittin' on this stupid stool for two weeks," he told the shopkeeper, "an' I ain't got a note out of it yet!"



Woman: "Little girl, I'm looking for a small dog with only one eye."

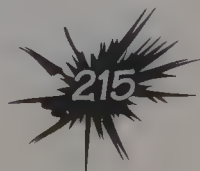
Girl: "If he's only small, perhaps you should use both eyes."



Two boys went fishing one summer's morning and trespassed on to the rich man's land. The gamekeeper spotted them and came running up.

"Didn't you see that notice?" he shouted.

"Yes," said the quick-witted boy of the two, "but it said 'Private' at the top, so I didn't want to read any further."





# Cool Jokes



Why did the cat put the letter "M" into the fridge?  
Because it turns ice into mice.



What was the fly doing on the ice cream?  
Learning to ski.



What kind of money do yetis use?

Iced lolly.



What does a Yeti eat for dinner?

Iceburgers.



How do ghosts like their drinks?

Ice ghoul.



What do you get if you cross a witch with an iceberg?

A cold spell.



Two witches lost their brooms and crash-landed on an iceberg.

"Do you think we'll be here long?" asked the first.

"No," said the second, "here comes the *Titanic*."



Waiter, waiter! What's this cockroach doing on my ice cream sundae?

I think it's skiing downhill.



What happened when the ice monster had a furious row with the zombie?

He gave him the cold shoulder.



What's furry and can see just as well from either end?

A cat with its eyes closed.



First dog: "My name's Spot. What's your name?"

Second dog: "I'm not sure, but I think it's 'Fetch'."



Simon: "My girlfriend and I fell out last night. She wanted to go and watch ice skating, but I wanted to go to the football match."

Peter: "What was the ice skating like?"



What takes a lot of licks from a teacher without complaint?

An ice cream.



On their first evening in their new home the bride went into the kitchen to fix the drinks.

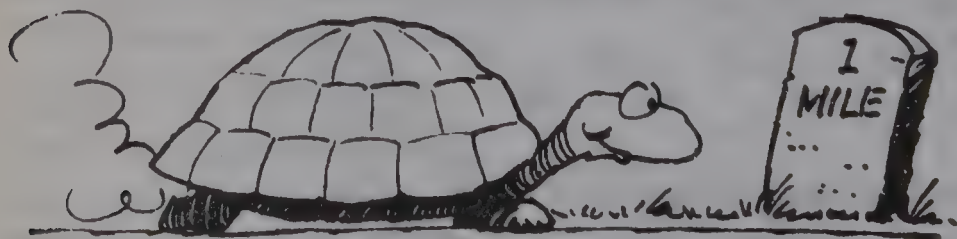
Five minutes later she came back into the living-room in tears.

"What's the matter, my angel?" asked her husband anxiously.

"Oh Derek!" she sobbed, "I put the ice-cubes in hot water to wash them and they've disappeared!"



A family of tortoises went into a café for some ice cream. They sat down and were about to start when Father Tortoise said, "I think its gong to rain, Junior, will you pop home and fetch my umbrella?" So off went Junior for Father's umbrella, but three days later he still hadn't returned. "I think, dear," said Mother Tortoise to Father Tortoise, "that we had better eat Junior's ice cream before it melts." And a voice from the door said, "If you do that, I won't go."



What's the cleverest animal in Africa?

The giraffe. It's got a high level of intelligence.

Jenny: "I haven't slept for days."

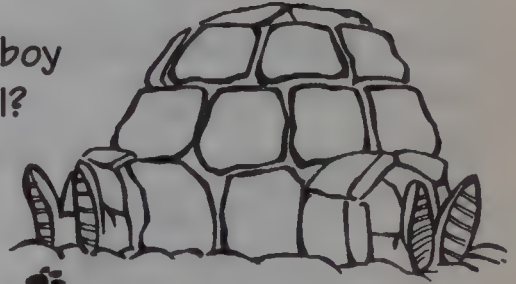
Sarah: "Why not?"

Jenny: "I sleep at night."



What did the Eskimo schoolboy  
say to the Eskimo schoolgirl?

What's an ice girl like you  
doing in a place like this?



What did Tom get when he locked Jerry in the freezer?  
Mice cubes.



Notice by a village pond: Beware! All of this ice is  
frozen.



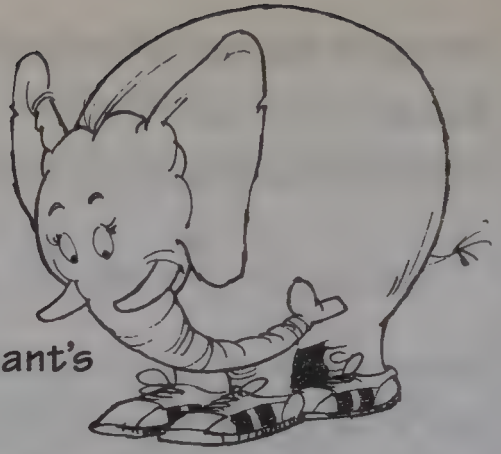
Wally: If frozen water is iced water, what is frozen ink?  
Sally: Iced ink.



Teacher: "Order, children, order!"

Daft Derek: "Two chocolate ice creams and three  
orange lollipops, please."

Why did Darren put his  
father in the freezer?  
He wanted ice-cold pop.



How do you know if an elephant's  
been in your fridge?  
There are footprints in the butter.



Why did the stupid witch keep her clothes in the fridge?  
She liked to have something cool to slip into in the  
evening.



My Uncle Ben and Aunt Flo haven't had a row for five  
years.  
That's wonderful.  
Not really. Uncle Ben lives in Siberia.



What happens when a ship runs out of fuel?  
All the passengers get out and push



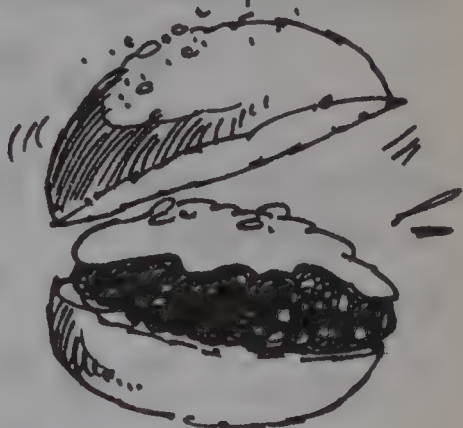
What do you call the famous Italian artist who did his paintings sitting on the fridge?

Bottichilli.



Did you hear about the mad scientist who put dynamite in his fridge?

They say he blew his cool.



What stays hot in the fridge?

A hamburger with too much mustard on it.



What did the mayonnaise say to the fridge?

Shut the door, I'm dressing.



What is brown one minute and white the next?

A rat in a deep-freeze.



Angela had to write down on her exam paper the name of a liquid that won't freeze, so she wrote "hot water".



What's faster – heat or cold?

Cold – you can catch cold easily.



Why did the monster drink ten litres of anti-freeze?

So that he didn't have to buy a winter coat.



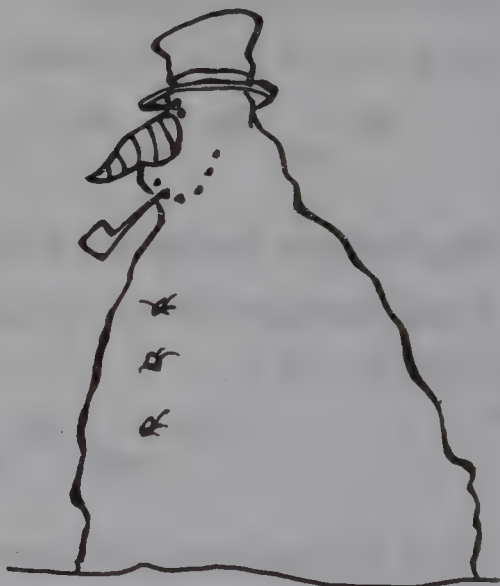
Why did the snowman call his dog Frost?

Because frost bites.



What's another way to describe a duck?

A chicken with snowshoes.



Teacher: Who knows what we mean by the Cold War?

Larry: Err, a snowball fight?



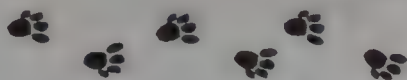
What exams do Yetis take?

Snow levels.



Can the Abominable Snowman jump very high?

Hardly – he can only just clear his throat!



What kind of man doesn't like to sit in front of the fire?

An Abominable Snowman.



How do Abominable Snowmen feel when they melt?

Abominable!



What do Abominable Snowmen call their offspring?

Chill-dren.



What lies at the bottom of the sea and shivers?

A nervous wreck.



What did one Abominable Snowman say to the other?

I'm afraid I just don't believe in people.



What is the Abominable Snowman's favourite book?  
War and Frozen Peas.



What did the Abominable Snowman do after he had  
had his teeth pulled out?

He ate the dentist.



A woman went to the fridge  
to get some milk and all she  
found was a disembodied  
hand there.



It was all fingers and thumbs.



*I Met an Abominable Snowman – by Anne Tarctic.*



There was a young yeti from Gloucester  
Whose granny and grandfather lost 'er.  
Next day she was found  
In the snow-covered ground  
But they didn't know how to defrost her.



What does it mean if you have an elephant in your fridge?  
He slept over, after the great party you had last night.



Did you hear about the woman who was so keen on  
road safety that she always wore white at night?  
Last winter she was knocked down by a snow plough.



Billy: "I never had a sledge when I was a kid."

Milly, feeling sorry for him: "What a shame! What did  
you do when it snowed?"

Billy: "Slid down the hills on my cousin."



Why was the snowman no good at playing in the big  
match?

He got cold feet.



Ted and Fred were enjoying  
themselves in the snow. "You can  
borrow my sledge if you like," said Ted.

"Thanks," said Fred. "We'll share it,  
shall we?"

"Yes," said Ted. "I'll have it going downhill  
and you can have it going uphill."



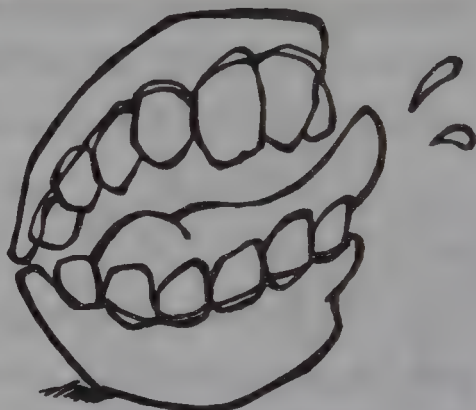
What happened to the cat who swallowed a ball of wool?

She had mittens.



What happened to the man who couldn't tell the difference between putty and porridge?

His teeth stuck together and his windows fell out.



Bertie: "My mum asked the doctor for something for wind."

Gertie: "What did he do?"

Bertie: "He gave her a kite."



Kevin: "I'm really cool, you know."

Kieran: "I always thought you were a cold fish."



Why is a football stadium cool?

It's full of fans.



How do you know if your cat's got a bad cold?

He has cat-arrh.



What do you give a pony with a cold?

Cough Stirrup.



What does an octopus wear when it's cold?

A coat of arms.



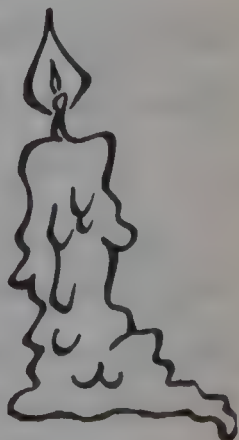
What goes "hum-choo, hum-choo"

A bee with a cold.



What's a cold, evil candle called?

The wicked wick of the north.



What kind of medicine does Dracula take for a cold?

Coffin medicine.



What happened to the zombie who had a bad cold?  
He said, "I'm dead-up wid fuddy jokes about zondies."



Werewolf: "Doctor, doctor, thank you so much for curing me."

Doctor: "So you don't think you're a werewolf anymore?"

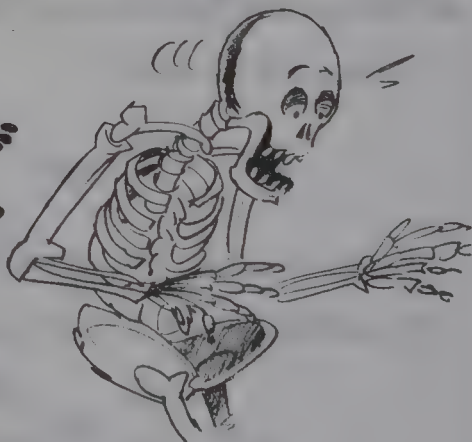
Werewolf: "Absolutely not, I'm quite clear now – see my nose is nice and cold."



Doctor, doctor! What would you take for this cold?  
Make me an offer.



Why do skeletons hate winter?  
Because the cold goes right through them.



Doctor, doctor! How can I stop my cold going to my chest?

Tie a knot in your neck.



Doctor, doctor! I keep thinking I'm a dog out in the cold.  
Oh, stop whining.



What happened when the ice monster had a furious  
row with the zombie?

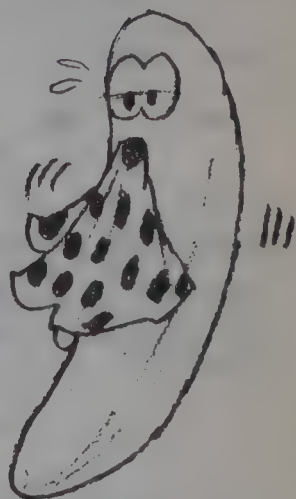
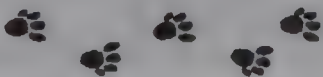
He gave him the cold shoulder.



And what goes into the water pink and comes out blue?  
A swimmer on a cold day!



What's yellow and shivers  
A banana with ice cream.



What's the difference between  
a bus driver and a cold?

One knows the stops; the other stops the nose.



Why can you run faster when you've got a cold?  
Because you have a racing pulse and a running nose.



George knocked on the door of his friend's house.

When his friend's mother answered he said: "Can Albert come out to play?"

"No," said the mother, "it's too cold."

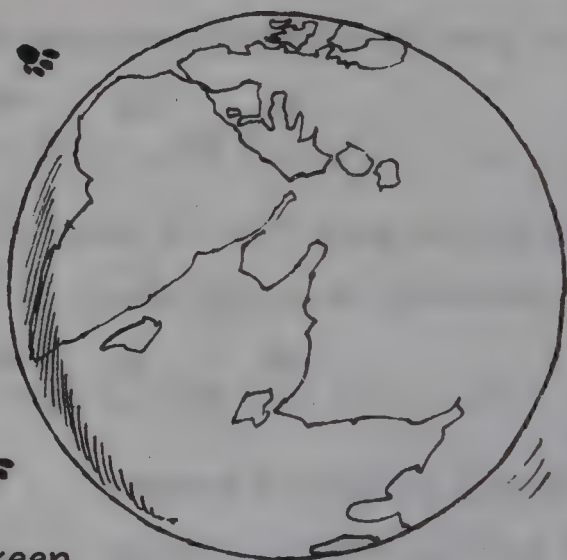
"Well, then," said George. "can his football come out to play?"



Geography teacher:

What is the coldest place in the world?

Ann: Chile.



What can a schoolboy keep and give away at the same time?

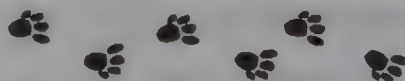
A cold.



Did you hear about the snake with a bad cold?

No! Tell me about the snake with a bad cold.

She had to viper nose.



Teacher: "Matthew, what is the climate of New Zealand?"

Matthew: "Very cold, sir."

Teacher: "Wrong."

Matthew: "But sir! When they send us meat, it always arrives frozen!"



Lady (to a tramp who's asked for a meal): "Do you like cold prunes and custard?"

Tramp: "I love it, lady."

Lady: "Well, call back later, it is very hot right now."



Young Horace was being taught how to box, but so far hadn't landed a single blow on his opponent.

"Don't worry, lad," said his teacher, "keep swinging – the draught might give him a cold."



It was raining, and the goalie had let several goals through. As he came off the pitch he sniffed, and said, "I think I've caught a cold." "I'm pleased to hear you can catch something," replied a fellow player.



It was a warm day and the tennis player kept missing his shots. After the match he sighed and said, "What couldn't I do with a long, cold drink?"

"Hit it?" inquired a fellow player."



Billy: "Is your cold better?"

Tilly: "I've got a very bad head but I hope to shake it off soon."



He's so cold-blooded that if a mosquito bit him, it would get pneumonia.



You're like a summer cold!

What do you mean?

It's impossible to get rid of you!



What animal with two humps can be found at the North Pole?

A lost camel.



Ned: "I've got a cold in the head."

Ted: "It must be the first time you've had anything in your head."



How do sheep keep warm in winter?

Central bleating.



What likes to spend the summer in a fur coat and the winter in a swimsuit?

A moth.



First cat: "Where do fleas go in winter?"

Second cat: "Search me!"



Waiter, waiter! There's a wasp in my pudding.

So that's where they go to in the winter.



Why don't vultures fly south in the winter?

Because they can't afford the air fare.



Teacher: Why do birds fly south in winter?

Jim: Because it's too far to walk.



Why did the canoeist take a water pistol with him?

So he could shoot the rapids.



Why do sheep have woolly coats?

They'd look funny in plastic raincoats.



What do you get if you cross a bottle of water with an electric eel?

A bit of a shock really!

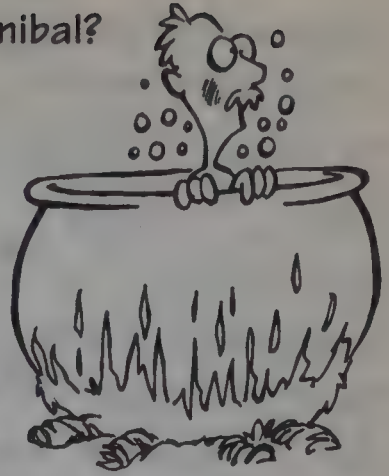


What insect can fly underwater?

A bluebottle in a submarine.



What happens if you upset a cannibal?  
You get into hot water.



What do you call a witch who  
likes the beach but is scared of  
the water?

A chicken sand-witch.



Why are vampire families so close?  
Because blood is thicker than water.



What do you call an alien starship that drips water?  
A crying saucer.



"Now don't forget boys," the science teacher droned on, "If it wasn't for water we would never learn to swim. And if we'd never learned to swim, just think how many people would have drowned!"



What relation is a doorstep to a doormat?  
Step - farther.

Did you hear about the idiot who made his chickens drink boiling water?

He thought they would lay hard-boiled eggs.



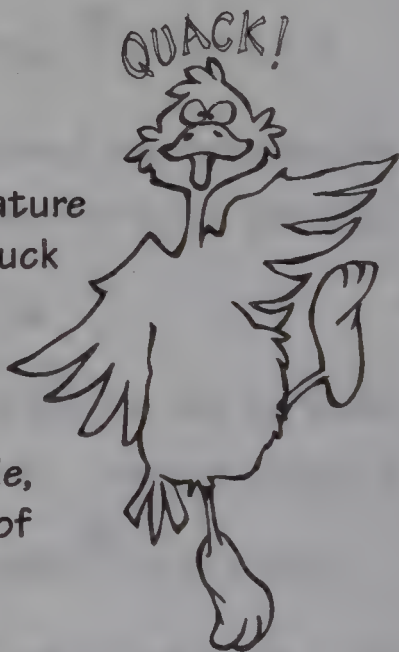
Older brother: "When I was a sailor I sailed both ways across the Atlantic without taking a bath."

Younger brother: "I always said you were a dirty double crosser!"



Mrs Twigg took her class on a nature ramble. They went past a large duck pond. "Be careful not to fall in, children," she said, "the water's very deep."

"But it can't be, Miss," said Susie, "it only comes up to the middle of those ducks."

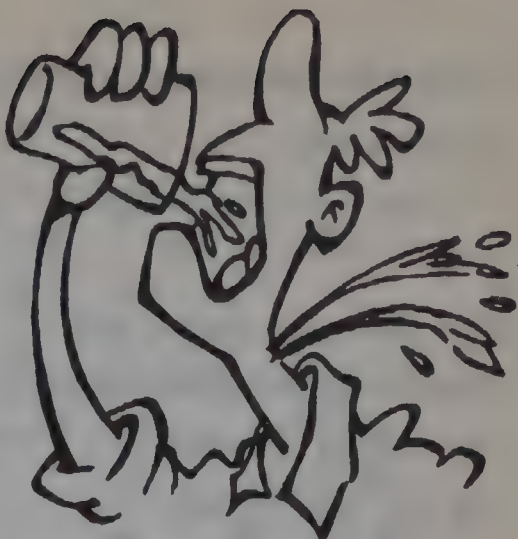


Why did the music student have a piano in the bathroom?

Because he was practising Handel's Water Music.



Doctor, doctor! I think I've  
been bitten by a vampire.  
Drink this glass of water.  
Will it make me better?  
No, but I'll be able to  
see your neck leaks.



Anne: "Ugh! The water in my glass is cloudy."

Dan, trying to impress his new girlfriend: "It's all  
right, it's just the glass that hasn't been washed."



Daddy, daddy, can I have another glass of water  
please?

But that's the tenth one I've given you tonight.

Yes, but the baby's bedroom is still on fire.



What do you call two rows of cabbages?

A dual cabbage-way.



Why did the teacher wear a lifejacket at night?

Because she liked sleeping on a water bed, and  
couldn't swim!

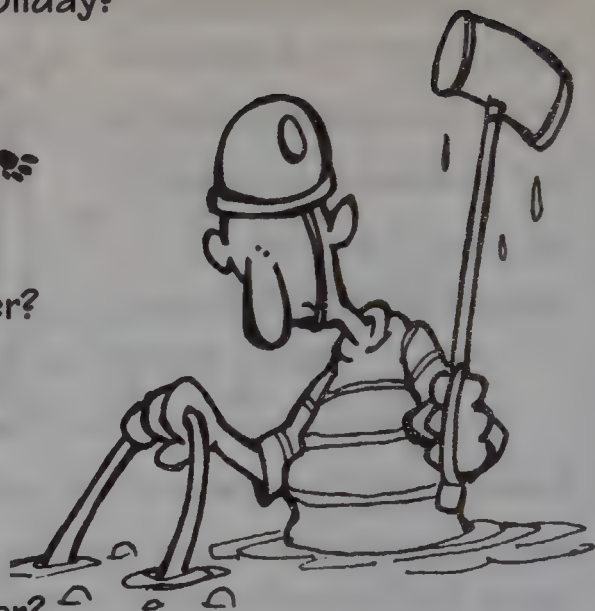
Where do cows go on holiday?

Moo Jersey.



Did you hear about the  
stupid water-polo player?

His horse drowned . . .



What is full of  
holes but can hold water?

A sponge.



Cannibal to his daughter: "Now you are nearly old  
enough to be married, we must start looking around  
for an edible bachelor."



The food at the club dinner was awful. The soup  
tasted like dishwater, the fish was off, the meat was  
overcooked, and the vegetables were obviously old.  
The last straw for one member was the custard,  
which was thick and lumpy. "This meal is disgusting!"  
he roared. "And what's more, I'm going to bring it up  
at the AGM next week!"

Policeman: "Why are you driving with a bucket of water on the passenger seat?"

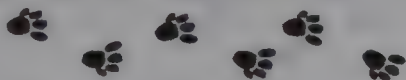
Motorist: "So I can dip my headlights."



Jane: "Have you noticed that your mother smells a bit funny these days?"

Wayne: "No. Why?"

Jane: "Well your sister told me she was giving her a bottle of toilet water for her birthday."



Sign in a café: The management has personally passed all drinking water in this establishment.

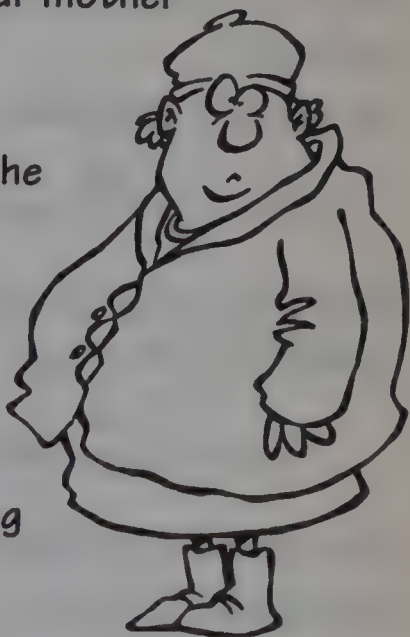


He's so dumb that after he'd watched a gardening programme on TV he started watering the light bulbs.



"I hear he's a very careful person."

"Well, he likes to economise on soap and water."



What happened to the yacht that sank in shark-infested waters?

It came back with a skeleton crew.



Why didn't the idiot go water-skiing when he was on holiday?

He couldn't find a sloping lake.



Notice by a river: When this sign is under water the towpath is flooded.



Mrs Green: "How's your new house?"

Mrs Brown: "The roof needs mending. In last week's storm rain was coming down the walls like water."



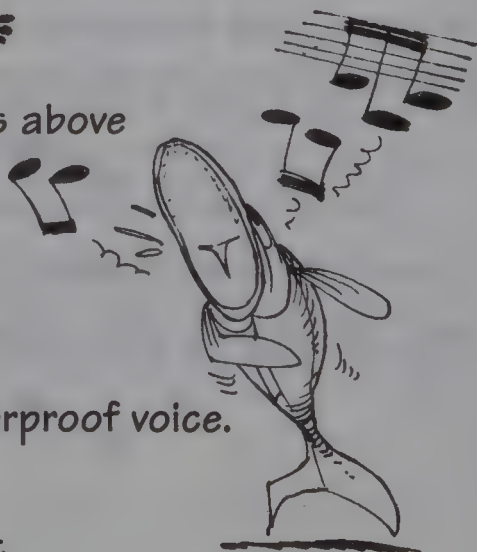
If we want to keep our heads above water we must keep our ears to the ground.



Bob: They say he has a waterproof voice.

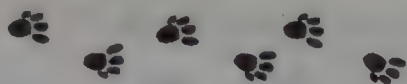
Ted: What do you mean?

Bob: It can't be drowned out.



Ron: Why are you bathing in such dirty water?

Don: It wasn't dirty when I got in it.



How can I cure water on the knee?

Wear pumps.



Why do watermelons have to have a formal wedding?

Because they cant-elope.



What can move around the world and yet remain stationery?

A letter.



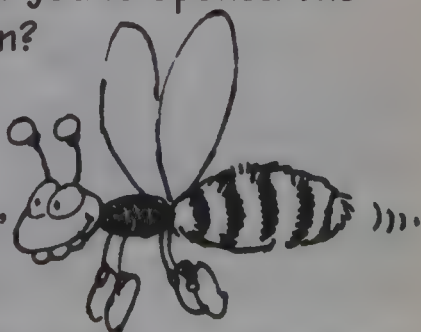
Wasps – while everyone runs a mile when they see one, why does it take hours for them to work out how to get out of a room, even after you've opened the window that they're standing on?



Doctor: "You need new glasses."

Monster: "How did you guess?"

Doctor: "I could tell the moment you walked through the window."



Doctor, doctor! I keep thinking I'm a moth.

So why did you come to see me?

Well, I saw the light in the window . . .



A wizard went to the doctor one day complaining of headaches. "It's because I live in the same room as two of my brothers," he said. "One of them has six goats and the other has four pigs and they all live in the room with us. The smell is terrible."

"Well couldn't you just open the windows?" asked the doctor.

"Certainly not," he replied, "my bats would fly out."

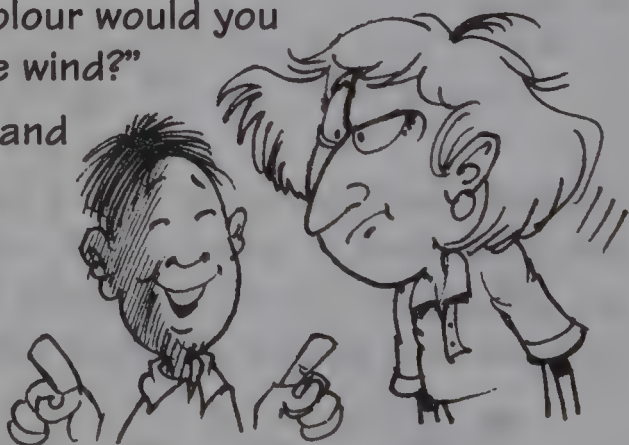


Art teacher: "What colour would you paint the sun and the wind?"

Brian: "The sun rose, and the wind blue."



How did the teacher  
forecast the weather  
with a piece of string?



She hung it up, and if it moved, she knew it was windy, and if it got wet, she knew it was raining.



Why does the Hound of the Baskervilles turn round and round before he lies down for the night?

Because he's the watchdog and he has to wind himself up.



Notice at a railroad station: These toilets are out of order. Please use Platform 6.



Mr Jones met a neighbour carrying a front door.

"Why are you carrying that, Tom?" asked Mr Jones.

"I've lost my key," replied Tom. "Oh," said Mr Jones, "so how will you get in?"

"It's all right – I've left the window open."



Who broke the window?

It was Andrew, Dad. He ducked when I threw a stone at him.



A jeweller standing behind the counter of his shop was astounded to see a man come hurtling head first through the window. "What on earth are you up to?" he demanded.

"I'm terribly sorry," said the man, "I forgot to let go of the brick!"

How do you cure a headache?

Put your head through a window, and the pane will disappear.



A man is in a prison cell with no windows and no doors; there are no holes in the ceiling or trapdoors in the floor, yet in the morning the wardens find him gone.

How did he get out?

Through the doorway – there were no doors remember!



At a very posh wedding, one of the guests broke wind. The bridegroom was furious and rounded on the guilty party.

“How dare you break wind before my wife?” he roared.

“Sorry,” said the guest. “Was it her turn?”



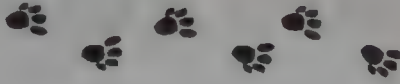
“Gosh, it’s raining cats and dogs,” said Suzie looking out of the kitchen window.

“I know,” said her mother who had just come in, “I’ve just stepped in a poodle!”



Dad, there's a man at the door collecting for the new swimming pool.

Give him a glass of water!



If cheese comes after dinner, what comes after cheese?  
A mouse.



What happened when the bell fell in the water?  
It got wringing wet.



Don't look out of the window, Lavinia,  
people will think it's Hallowe'en.



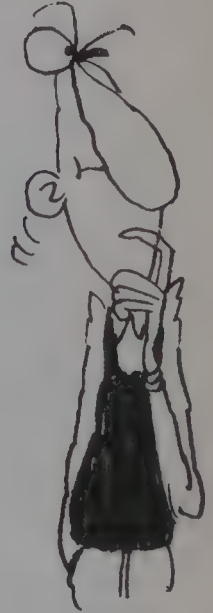
Dylan: I take lots of exercise.

Duncan: I thought so. That's why you're  
so long-winded.



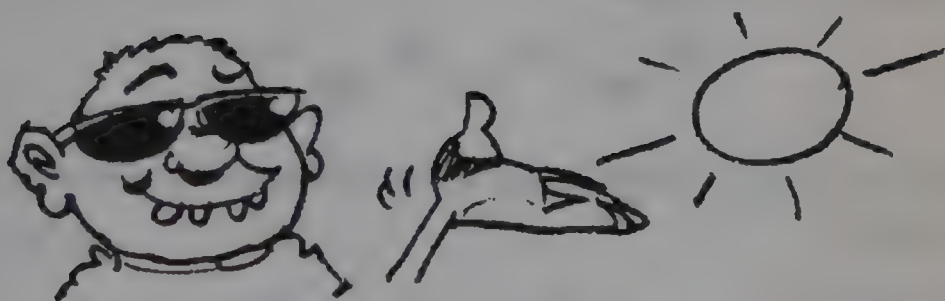
What happened to the man who couldn't tell putty  
from custard?

His house fell down.





# Holiday Howlers



Where does an elephant go on holiday?  
Tuscany.



What do you say to a hitch-hiking frog?  
"Hop in!"



What do you get if you cross a frog with a ferry?  
A hoppercraft.



"How long will the train to Galway be?"  
"About six carriages."



Which Cornish town is the favourite holiday spot for rodents?  
Mousehole.



What do bees do if they want to use public transport?  
Wait at a buzz stop.



What happened when the cannibal crossed the Atlantic on the QE2?

He told the waiter to take the menu away and bring him the passenger list.



Where do witches go for their holidays?

Bat-lins.



Where did vampires go to first in America?

New-fang-land.



Where do Chinese vampires come from?

Fanghai.



Where do zombies go for cruises?

The Deaditerranean.



What do demons have  
on holiday?

A devil of a time.



Where do ghosts go on holiday?

The Ghosta Brava.

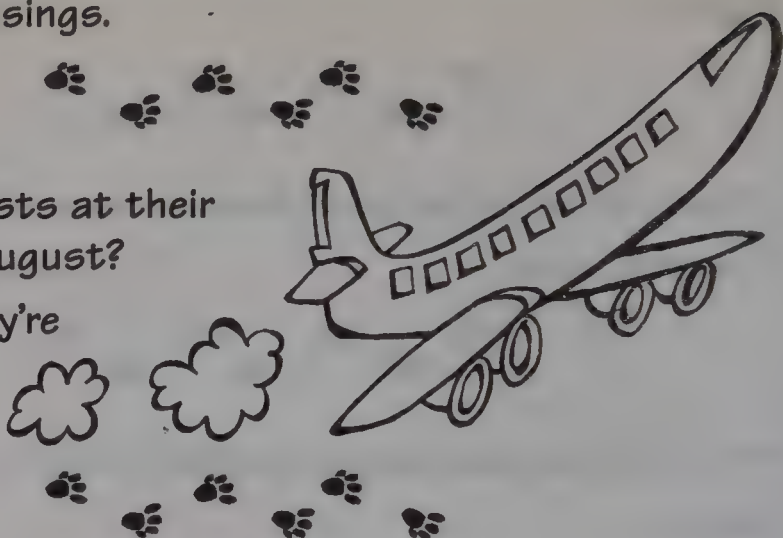


Where do ghost trains stop?

At devil crossings.

Why are ghosts at their loudest in August?

Because they're on their howlidays.



Where do ghosts like to go on holiday?

Goole.

How did the rabbit get to Australia?

He flew by hareplane.

James: Do you know what nice people do on holiday?

John: No.

James: I didn't think you would.

Why couldn't the skeleton pay his bus fare?

Because he was skint.

Why do you have to wait so long for a ghost train to come along?

They only run a skeleton service.



1st ghost: I died at Waterloo, you know.

2nd ghost: Really? Which platform.



1st witch: I'm going to France tomorrow.

2nd witch: Are you going by broom?

1st witch: No, by hovercraft.



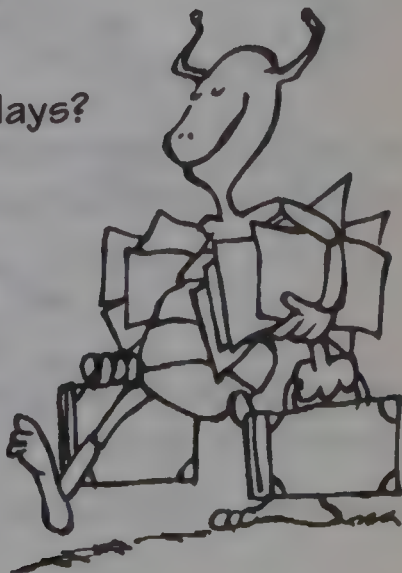
Did you hear about the ghost who learned to fly?

He was pleased to be back on terror-firma.



Where do ants go for their holidays?

Fr-ants.



How do fleas travel?

Itch-hiking.



What steps should you take if you see a dangerous yeti on your travels?

Very large ones.



What do Paddington Bear and Winnie the Pooh pack for their holidays?

The bear essentials.



What did one street say to another?

Run along and I'll meet you at the corner.



My girlfriend talks so much that when she goes on holiday, she has to spread suntan lotion on her tongue.



Boss: "You're looking much better now, Reynolds. How's that pain?"

Reynolds: "She's away on a business trip."

Charlie was very nervous about going in a plane. "Do these planes crash often?" he asked the flight attendant.

"No," she smiled, "only once."



Nellie: Our form mistress went to the West Indies for her holidays.

Kelly: Jamaica?

Nellie: No, she went of her own accord.



What can you see from the top of the Eiffel Tower?

Quite an eyeful!



Which American city would a cow like to visit?

Moo York.



Crossing the Atlantic in a Rowing Boat – by Eva Lott



Summertime – by Theresa Greene



Sarah: "I'm going to sunbathe on my holiday. I love the sun."

Silly Susie: "Oh, so do I. I could lie in the sun all day and all night."



Darren went on a camping holiday with his family. "Did the tent leak?" asked his friend Sharon.

"Only when it rained," answered Darren.



What did the sea say to the beach?

Nothing, it just waved.



Why did the teacher like to take his main holiday in the spring?  
He liked clean sheets on his bed.



Lizzie got a bad case of sunburn. When she complained how sore it was, her brother remarked, "Well, I guess you basked for it."



Passenger: "Does this bus go to London?"

Bus driver: "No."

Passenger: "But it says London on the front."

Bus driver: "It says fish fingers on the side but we don't sell them!"



In the summer holidays the maths teacher collected information for a national opinion poll. But after a week she was sacked. Her vital statistics were wrong.



Mrs Broadmouth: Now, remember, children, travel is very good for you. It broadens the mind.

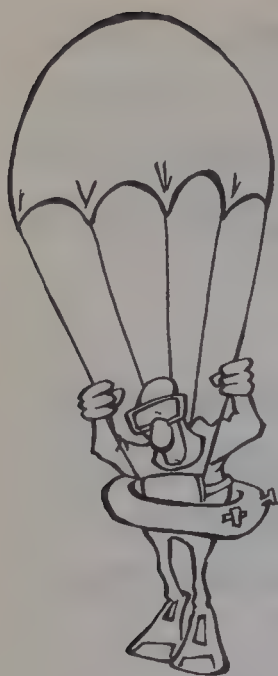
Sarah, muttering: If you're anything to go by, that's not all it broadens!



Pattie: "We had a burglary last night, and they took everything except the soap and towels."

Peter: "The dirty crooks."





A pilot flying over the jungle was having trouble with his plane and decided to bail out before it crashed. So he got into his parachute, jumped, pulled the rip-cord and drifted gently down to land. Unfortunately he landed right in a large cooking pot which a tribal chief was simmering gently over a fire. The chief looked at him, rubbed his eyes, looked again, and asked, "What's this flier doing in my soup?"



After years of travelling around the world in his search, the wicked Abanazar finally discovered the enchanted cave in which he believed lay the magic lamp which would make him millions. He stood before the boulders which sealed the cave, and uttered the magic words, "Open, sesame!" There was a silence, and then a ghastly voice from within moaned, "Open says-a-who?"



Why did the stupid pilot land his plane on a house?  
Because the landing lights were on.



What makes the Tower of Pisa lean?  
It doesn't eat much.

Harry was telling his friend about his holiday in Switzerland. His friend had never been to Switzerland and asked, "What did you think of the scenery?"

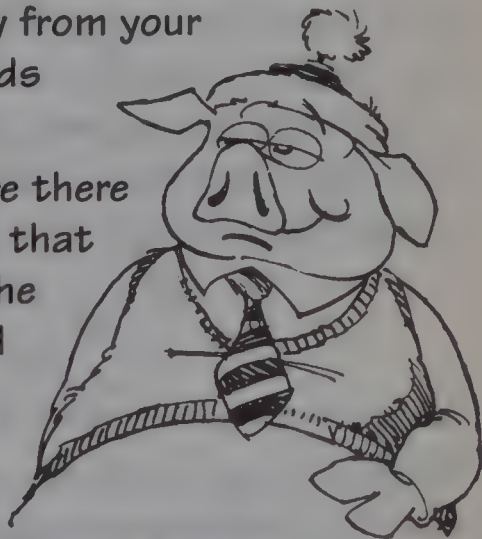
"Oh, I couldn't see much," Harry admitted. "There were all those mountains in the way."



"Why did you come back early from your holidays?" one of Alec's friends asked him.

"Well, on the first day we were there one of the chickens died and that night we had chicken soup. The next day one of the pigs died and we had pork chops . . ."

"But why did you come back?"



"Well, on the third day the farmer's father-in-law died. What would you have done?"



A woman just back from the United States was telling her friends about the trip. "When my husband first saw the Grand Canyon, his face dropped a mile," she said.

"Why, was he disappointed with the view?"

"No, he fell over the edge."



How do toads travel?

By hoppercraft.



A new porter at a Paris hotel was instructed by the manager that it was important to call the guests by their names in order to make them feel welcome, and that the easiest way to find out their name was to look at their luggage. Armed with this advice, the porter took two guests up to their rooms, put down their bags and said, "I hope you 'ave a very 'appy stay 'ere in Paris, Mr and Mrs Genuine Cow'ide."



What do you think of this suit? I had it made in Hong Kong.

Very nice, but what's that hump on the back?

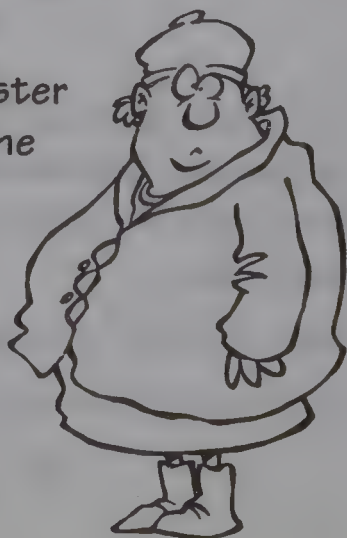
Oh, that's the tailor. He's still working on it.



"I hope this plane doesn't travel faster than sound," said the old lady to the flight attendant.

"Why?"

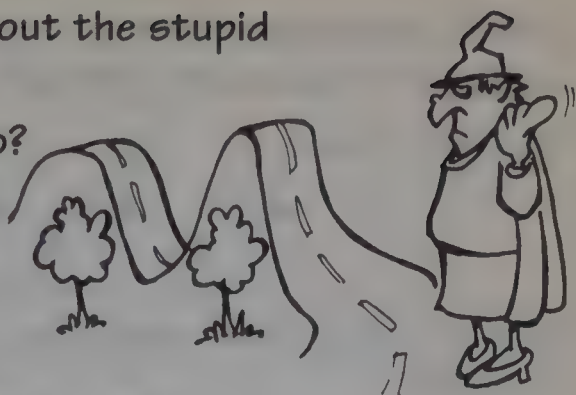
"Because my friend and I want to talk, that's why."



Louise: Did you hear about the stupid hitch-hiker?

Liza: No, what did he do?

Louise: He started his journey early so there wouldn't be so much traffic about.



A naughty child was irritating all the passengers on the flight from London to New York. At last one man could stand it no longer. "Hey kid," he shouted, "Why don't you go outside and play?"



The transatlantic liner was experiencing particularly heavy weather, and Mrs Ramsbottom wasn't feeling well.

"Would you care for some more supper, madam?" asked the steward.

"No thanks," replied the wretched passenger. "Just throw it overboard to save me the trouble."



First explorer: "There's one thing about Jenkinson."

Second explorer: "What's that?"

First explorer: "He could go to headhunters' country without any fear – they'd have no interest in him."

What's red and wobbles on top of sponge cake and custard in the middle of Paris?

The Trifle Tower.



What is red outside, green and hairy inside and very crowded?

A bus full of gooseberries.



What's green and hairy and wears sunglasses?

A gooseberry on holiday.



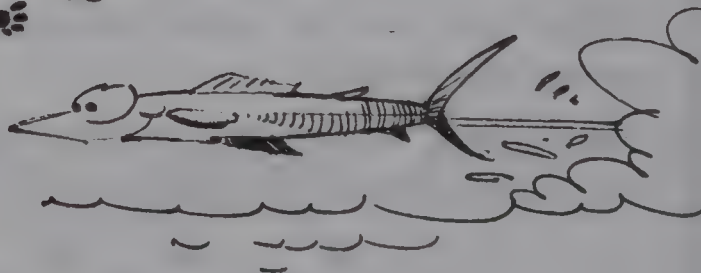
What's sweet, sour, dangerous and travels?

Takeaway Kung food.



Where's a shark's favourite holiday destination?

Finland.



How do nits go on holidays?

British Hairways.

Why won't midfield players travel by airplane?

In case they are put on the wing.



Why is it not safe to sleep on trains?

Because they run over sleepers.



Kylie and Riley were talking about their forthcoming summer holidays. "Last year," said Kylie, "my brother and I took turns to bury each other in the sand."

"Yes, but what about this year?" interrupted Riley.

"I was coming to that," said Kylie. "This year we're going back to try to find him."



Local: Are you lost?

Stranger: No, I'm here. It's the bus station that's lost.



Letter from a travel agent: The flight you requested is fully booked but if someone falls out we'll let you know.



# Red Hot Funnies



Why are chef's cruel?

Because they beat eggs and whip cream



How do you like my new sculpture?

It's marbelous!



What do frogs drink?

Hot croako.

What's white on the outside,  
green on the inside and  
comes with relish and onions?

A hot frog.



What happens if you eat a hot frog?

You croak in no time.

What is the proper name for the water otter?

A kettle.

What do witches ring for in a hotel?

B-room service.

1st cannibal: "I don't know what to make of my  
husband."

2nd cannibal: "How about a hotpot?"



What animal has two humps and is found at the South Pole?

A camel with no sense of direction.



It was sweltering hot outside. The teacher came into the classroom wiping his brow and said, "Ninety-two today. Ninety-two."

"Happy birthday to you. Happy birthday to you . . ." sang the class.



When the class went on a trip to the seaside, they stayed at a small hotel that advertised Bed and Breakfast. The trouble was, they said afterwards, it was difficult to know which was the bed and which was the board.



What did the teacher say after spending thousands in the expensive hotel?

"I'm sorry to leave now that I've almost bought the place."



A man arrived at a seaside hotel where he had made a reservation rather late at night. All the lights were out so he knocked on the door. After a long time a light appeared in an upstairs window and a woman called out, "Who are you? What do you want?"

"I'm staying here."

"Stay there, then," she retorted and slammed the window shut!

Teacher: "I'd like a room, please."

Hotel receptionist: "Single, Sir?"

Teacher: "Yes, but I am engaged."



There was a little old lady from a small town in America who had to go to Texas. She was amazed at the size of her hotel and her suite. She went into the huge café and said to the waitress, who took her order for a cup of coffee, that she had never before seen anything as big as the hotel or her suite. "Everything's big in Texas, ma'am," said the waitress. The coffee came in the biggest cup the old lady had ever seen. "I told you, ma'am that everything is big in Texas," said the waitress. On her way back to her suite, the old lady got lost in the vast corridors. She opened the door of a darkened room and fell into an enormous swimming pool. "Please!" she screamed. "Don't flush it!"

"When we got to Benidorm, the hotel was so full I had to sleep on a door across two tables."

"Was it comfortable?"

"Oh yes, but a bit draughty around the letter-box."



"Is my dinner hot?" asked the late husband.

"It should be," said his furious wife, "it's been on the fire since seven o'clock!"



"I was a waiter for three months, but I had to leave on account of the head waiter's nerves."

"His nerves?"

"He couldn't stand the sound of breaking crockery."



Did you hear about the ghoul's favourite hotel?

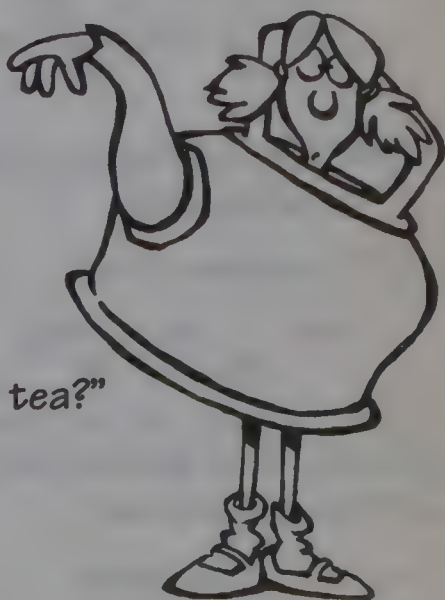
It had running rot and mould in every room.



John: "Do you feel like a cup of tea?"

Don: "Oh, yes."

John: "You look like one, too – sloppy, hot and wet!"



What's green and served hot from the oven?

An idiot's salad.



There were two eggs boiling in a saucepan. One said, "Phew, it's hot in here." The other said, "Wait till you get out, you'll get your head bashed in."



Hotel porter: May I carry your bag, sir?

Hotel guest: That won't be necessary, my wife is perfectly capable of walking.



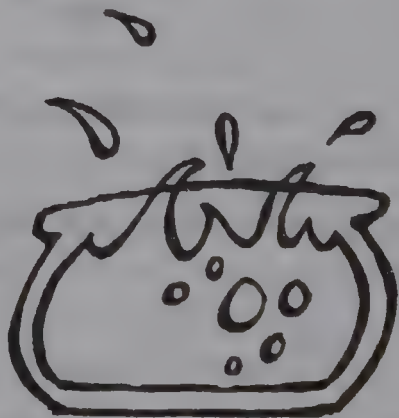
How do you stop someone who's been working out in the gym on a hot day from smelling?

Put a peg on his nose!



What's the hottest letter of the alphabet?

"B." It makes oil boil.



Did you hear about the two men who were cremated at the same time?

It was a dead heat.

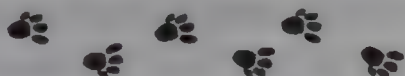
What's the difference between Father Christmas and a warm dog?

Father Christmas wears a whole suit, a dog just pants.



What do you get if you cross an elephant with some locusts?

I'm not sure, but if they ever swarm – watch out!



How do mice celebrate when they move house?

With a mouse-warming party.



What did the drone say to the Queen Bee?

"Swarm in here isn't it?"



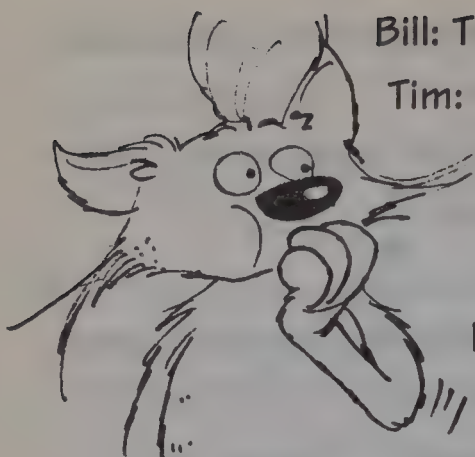
Why does a witch wear a pointed black hat?

To keep her head warm.



Teacher: "What do you think astronauts wear to keep warm?"

Girl: "Apollo neck jumpers?"



Bill: This loaf is nice and warm!

Tim: It should be – the cat's been sitting on it all day!



Eddie was telling Freddie of his plans to make a lot of money.

"I intend to buy a dozen swarms of bees, and every morning at dawn I'm going to let them into the park opposite my house to spend the day making honey."

"But the park doesn't open until nine o'clock," protested Freddie.

"I realise that," said Eddie, "but I know where there's a hole in the fence."



Darren was showing Sharon his holiday photos. She admired the scenery and the people. Then Darren showed her a picture of him having a donkey ride on the beach. "Who's that on your back?" asked Sharon.



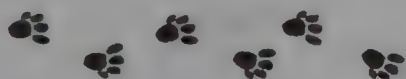
Wife, to husband: "Boil the baby while I feed the potatoes, will you?"



"Your son is horribly spoiled," a woman said to a proud mother one day.

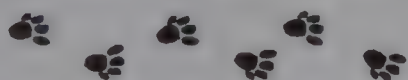
"How dare you!" retorted the second woman. "My son's a perfect little gentleman."

"I'm afraid you haven't seen what the steamroller's done to him!"



What's the difference between  
Frankenstein and  
boiled potatoes?

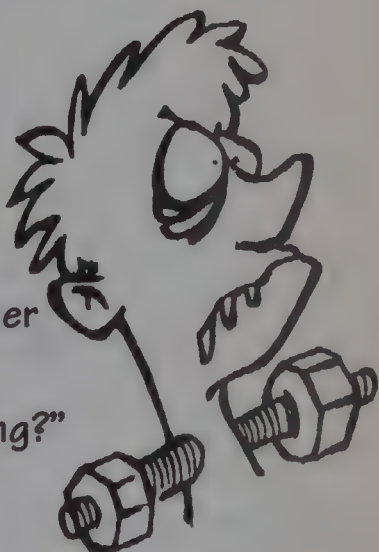
You can't mash Frankenstein.



1st cannibal: "Come and have dinner  
in our hut tonight."

2nd cannibal: "What are you having?"

1st cannibal: "Hard-boiled legs."



What was proved when the fat man was run over by a  
steamroller?

That he had a lot of guts.





# Smelly Jokes



What do you call a dirty, frayed, hairy, blood-stained thing found on the bathroom floor?

A used Elastoplast.



What did one eye say to the other?

"Between us is something that smells."



Two little girls were paddling on the beach.

Nicky said, "Cool! Aren't your feet mucky?"

Sticky looked down at her feet. "They are a bit," she replied, "but you see, we didn't come last year."



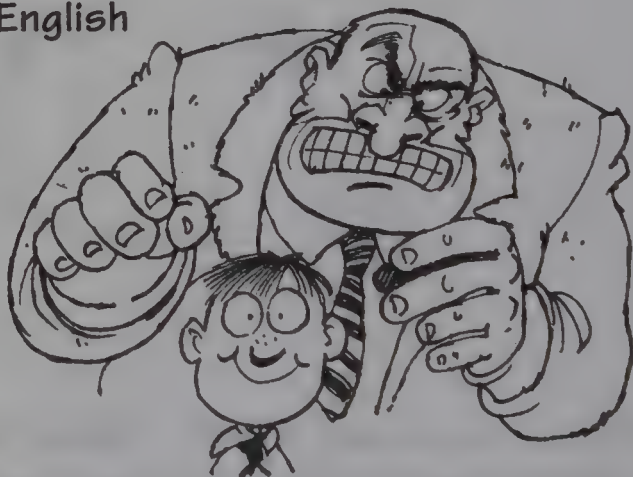
Who wrote a treatise on seasickness?

Eva Lott.



What do you call an English teacher, 5 feet tall, covered from head to toe in boils and totally bald?

Sir!



Knock, knock.

Who's there.

Few.

Few who?

Phew! There's an awful smell round here, is it you?



Is that perfume I smell?

It is and you do.

Who is the smelliest, hairiest monarch in the world?  
King Pong.



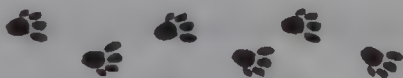
How do vampires keep their  
breath smelling nice?

They use extractor fangs.



What's the difference between a  
huge, ugly, smelly monster and a sweet?

People like sweets.



Ding dong bell,  
Pussy's down the well,  
But we've put some disinfectant down  
And don't mind about the smell.



First Witch: What's your new boyfriend like?

Second Witch: He's mean, nasty, ugly, smelly, and  
totally evil, but he has some bad points too.



Did you hear about the stupid man who thought that  
'the great smell of Brut' was King Kong's B.O.?

What do you get if you cross a tarantula with a rose?  
I don't know but I wouldn't try smelling one.



What do you get if you cross a man-eating monster  
with a skunk?

A very ugly smell.



Ben, sniffing: Smells like UFO  
for dinner tonight, chaps.

Ken: What's UFO?

Ben: Unidentified Frying Objects.



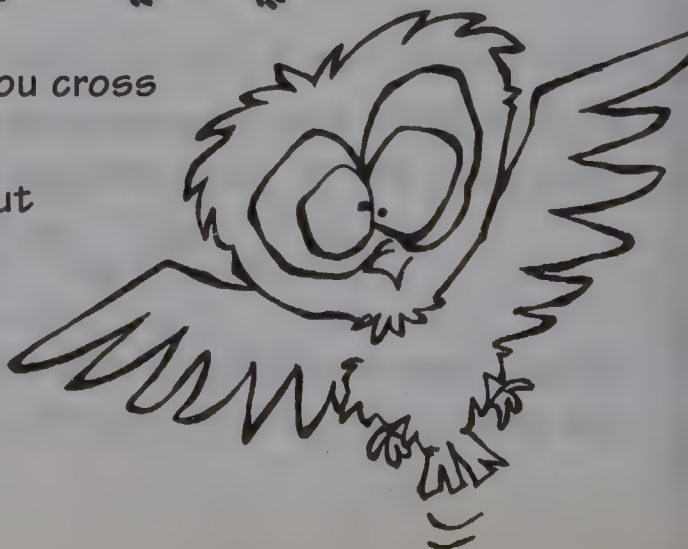
Did you hear about the horrible, hairy monster who  
did farmyard impressions?

He didn't do the noises, he just made the smells.



What do you get if you cross  
a skunk and an owl?

A bird that smells but  
doesn't give a hoot!



"What's your new perfume called?" a young man asked his girlfriend.

"High Heaven," she replied.

"I asked what it was called, not what it smells to!"



Which soldiers smell of salt and pepper?

Seasoned troopers.



"There's a dreadful smell of B.O. in here," said the new office boy.

"It's the automatic air conditioning," said his boss.

"Automatic air conditioning?"

"Whenever the weather gets hot it automatically breaks down!"



A kangaroo with B.O.

hopped into a drugstore and said, "I'd like something to take this smell away."

"So would I, Sir" said the druggist. "So would I."



What dog smells of onions?

A hot dog.



"Ugh! You smell terrible," said a doctor to a patient.

"That's odd," said the patient.

"That's what the other doctor said."

"If you were told that by another doctor, why have you come to me?"

"Because I wanted a second opinion."



Doctor, doctor, my friend told me I had B.O.

And what makes you think he's right, you disgusting, smelly, malodorous, foul, little man?



What's wet, smells and goes ba-bump, ba-bump?

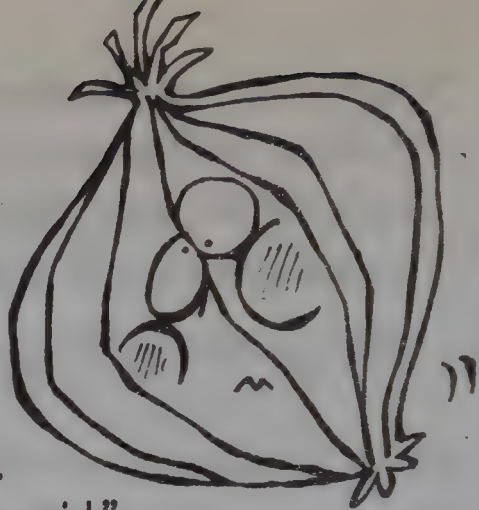
A skunk in the spin-drier.



Jane: Have you noticed that your mother smells a bit funny these days?

Wayne: No. Why?

Jane: Well your sister told me she was giving her a bottle of toilet water for her birthday.



Knock, knock.

Who's there?

Sonia.

Sonia who?

Sonia shoe. I can smell it from here.



What's the smelliest city in America?

Phew York.



"Keep that dog out of my garden. It smells disgusting!" a neighbour said to a small boy one day.

The boy went home to tell everyone to stay away from the neighbour's garden because of the smell!



Have you heard about the new aftershave that drives women crazy?

No! Tell me about it.

It smells of fifty-pound notes.

Doctor, doctor, I've had tummy ache since I ate three crabs yesterday.

Did they smell bad when you took them out of their shells?

What do you mean 'took them out of their shells'?



How can you tell if a monkey has been sleeping in your bed?

The sheets are wrinkled and the bed smells of peanuts.



Knock, knock.

Who's there?

Hali.

Hali who?

Halitosis, your breath smells awful!



Darren: I'm so tired I feel like an old sock.

Sharon: I thought there was a funny smell in here!



Who wrote Smelly Socks and Dirty Feet?

I. Malone.

Two dentists were discussing a patient.

Mr Phang said, 'I wouldn't say his teeth were rotten, but every time he stuck his tongue out one of them snapped off.'



Melissa had been given a recorder and a bottle of perfume for her birthday.

Her parents had invited some friends round to celebrate, and, as they sat down for tea, Melissa smiled shyly and said to one of her mother's friends, "If you hear a little noise, and smell a little smell, its me."



Mrs Toe-Rag: Ophelia! Wash your hands before you play the piano!

Ophelia: But Mum, I only play on the black notes.



Jenny: I think my brother's built upside-down.

Penny: How's that?

Jenny: His nose runs and his feet smell.



What did the secretary do with old fingernails?

File them.



How do you catch dandruff?

Brush your hair over a paper bag.



Knock, knock.

Who's there?

Colleen.

Colleen who?

Colleen yourself up, you look filthy.



What kind of monster can sit on the end of your finger?

A bogeyman.



What's the difference between a dead dog and a musician?

One composes and the other decomposes.



Doctor, doctor, my kidneys are bad. What should I do?

Take them back to the butcher's.



Stinker was riding his bike round the block faster and faster, showing off to his friends. With each round he became more daring. First of all he rode round shouting, "Look, no hands!" Then he rode round shouting, "Look, no feet!" The third time he came round he mumbled, "Look, no teeth!"



Stinker was climbing a tree and had nearly reached the top when his mother came into the garden and saw him. She shouted up, "If you fall and break both legs, don't come running to me, that's all."



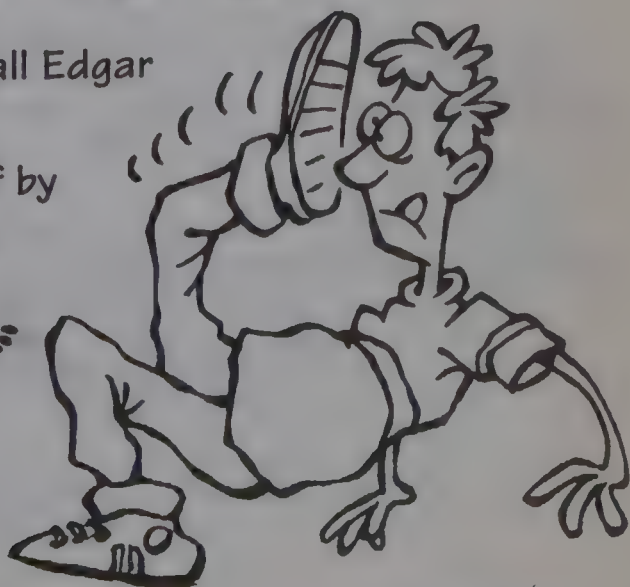
Who is the meanest person in the world?

A man who finds a sling and then breaks his arm to wear it.



Why did his friends call Edgar 'Camembert'?

They were cheesed off by the smell of his feet.



Mother: Harold! What did you say to Bessie to make her cry?

Harold: I paid her a compliment.

Mother: And what was that?

Harold: I told her she sweated less than any girl I'd ever danced with.



What happened when two fat men ran in a race?

One ran in short bursts, the other ran in burst shorts.

Stinker: I live on garlic alone.

Pongo: Anyone who lives on garlic should live alone.

Knock, knock.

Who's there?

Philippa.

Philippa who?

Philippa bath, I'm very dirty.

Audrey: Do you  
always bathe in  
muddy water?

Tawdry: It wasn't  
muddy when I got in.



Bertha: My sister can play the piano by ear.

Basil: So what? My brother fiddles with his toes.



Mrs Slack: This tea is terrible.

Mr Slack: I made it in my pyjamas.

Mrs Slack: No wonder it tastes so bad.



When a photographer took Boris's photograph he  
never developed it.

He was afraid of being alone in the dark with it.



Why can't a steam engine sit down?

Because it has a tender behind.



When can't you bury people who live opposite a  
graveyard?

When they're not dead.

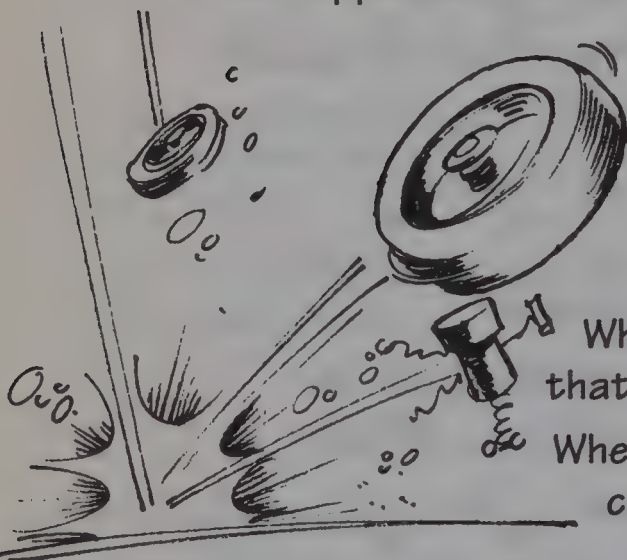
What was proved when the fat man was run over by a steamroller?

That he had a lot of guts.



What happened when Lucy pushed her father's fingers in the light socket?

She got fizzy pop.



When do you get that run-down feeling?

When you've been hit by a car.



How can you make a thin person fat?

Push him over a cliff and he'll come down plump.



Why did the man jump off the top of the Empire State Building?

Because he wanted to make a hit on Broadway.



What do you do if you laugh until your sides split?  
Run until you get a stitch.

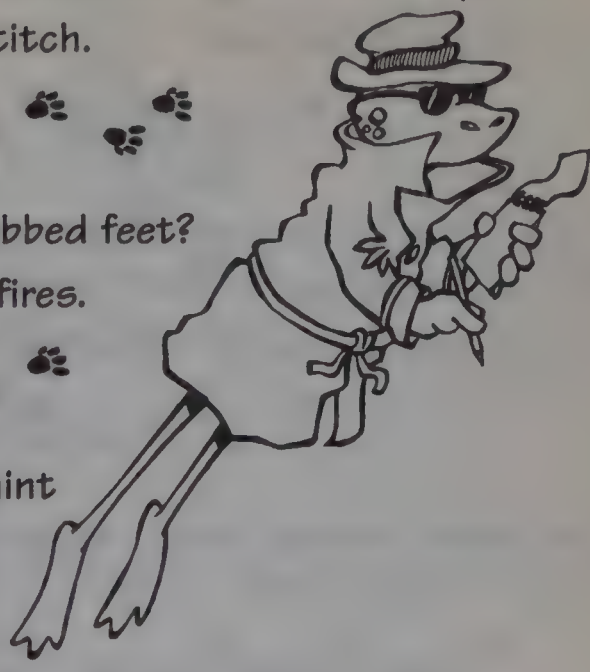
Why do frogs have webbed feet?  
To stamp out forest fires.

Why did King Kong paint  
the bottoms of his  
feet brown?  
So that he could  
hide upside down in a jar of peanut butter.

What do you give a monster with big feet?  
Big flippers.

Why shouldn't you dance with a Yeti?  
Because if it trod on you you might get flat feet.

Why should men be careful of beautiful witches?  
They'll sweep them off their feet.



How do you know a zombie is tired?

He's dead on his feet.



First Witch: I'm going to cast a spell and make myself beautiful. I'll have hundreds of men at my feet.

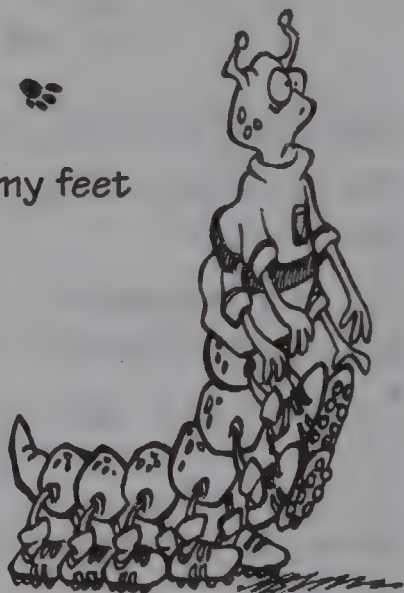
Second witch: Yes, chiropodists.



Centipede: Doctor, doctor, when my feet hurt, I hurt all over.



Why do spiders enjoy swimming?  
They have webbed feet.



"Lie flat on your backs, class, and circle your feet in the air as if you were riding your bikes," said the gym teacher.

"Alec! What are you doing. Move your feet boy."

"I'm freewheeling, Sir."



Can you stand on your head?

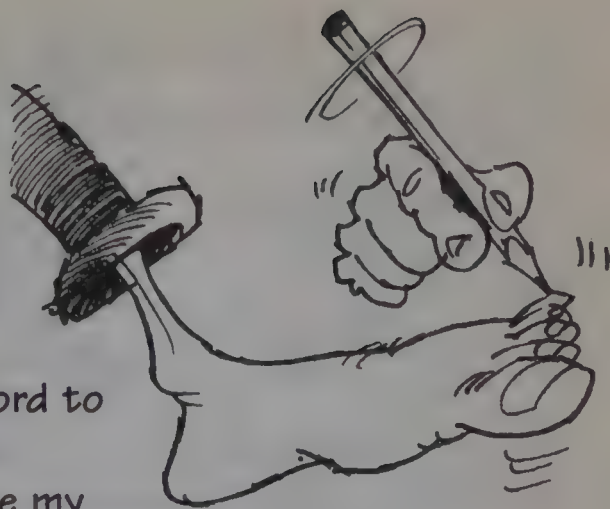
I've tried, but I can't get my feet up high enough.

What has eight feet  
and sings?

The school quartet.



We're so poor that  
mum and dad can't afford to  
buy me shoes. I have to  
blacken my feet and lace my  
toes together.



Chuck: Do you have holes in your underpants?

Teacher: No, of course not.

Chuck: Then how do you get your feet through?



What has two heads, three hands, two noses and five  
smelly feet?

A monster with spare parts.



Two monsters were in hospital and they were  
discussing their operations and ailments.

"Have you had your feet checked?" one asked the  
other.

"No," came the reply. "They've always been purple with  
green spots."

Why did the teacher  
marry the school  
cleaner?

Because he swept  
her off her feet.



Robot: I have to dry my  
feet carefully after a bath.

Monster: Why?

Robot: Otherwise I get rusty nails.



Doctor, doctor, I can't stand being three feet tall any  
longer.

Then you'll just have to learn to be a little patient.



Dotty Aunt Muriel received a letter one morning, and  
upon reading it burst into floods of tears.

"What's the matter?" asked her companion.

"Oh dear," sobbed Auntie. "It's my favorite nephew.  
He's got three feet."

"Three feet?" exclaimed her friend. "Surely that's not  
possible?"

"Well," said Auntie, "his mother's just written to tell  
me he's grown another foot!"

Joan, pick up your feet when you walk.

What for, mum? I've only got to put them down again.



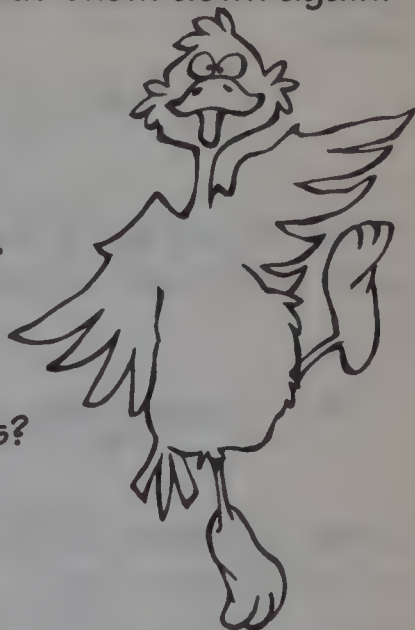
Why do bees have sticky hair?

Because they have honey combs.



What has webbed feet and fangs?

Count Quackula.



"If you're going to work here, young man," said the boss, "one thing you must learn is that we are very keen on cleanliness in this firm. Did you wipe your feet on the mat as you came in?"

"Oh, yes sir."

"And another thing, we are very keen on truthfulness. There is no mat."



Teacher: You're wearing a very strange pair of socks, Darren. One's blue with red spots, and one's yellow with green stripes.

Darren: Yes, and I've got another pair just the same at home.

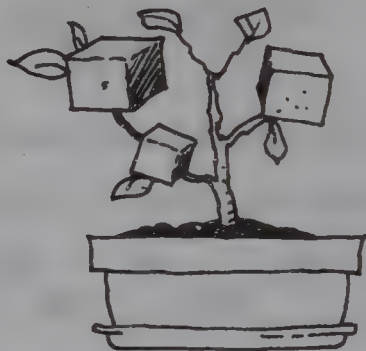
Mum: You've got your socks on inside out.

Son: I know, Mum, but there are holes on the other side.



What do you get if you cross an ant with half a pair of knickers?

Pant.



What happened to the plant in the maths room?

It grew square roots.



One very hot day an extremely small man went into a café, put his newspaper on a table and went to the counter. But on returning with a cup of tea he saw that his place had been taken by a stinking, bearded, ferocious-looking man of some 300 pounds in weight, and six feet nine inches in height.

"Excuse me," said the little man to the big man, "but you're sitting in my seat."

"Oh yeah?" snarled the big man. "Prove it!"

"Certainly. You're sitting on my ice-cream."



Andy was late for school

"Andy!" roared his mother. "Have you got your socks on yet?"

"Yes, Mum," replied Andy. "All except one."



Cherry: What's Cheryl like?

Jerry: She's a slick chick.

Cherry: You mean she's like a greasy chicken?



How do you survive the electric chair?

Insulate your underpants.



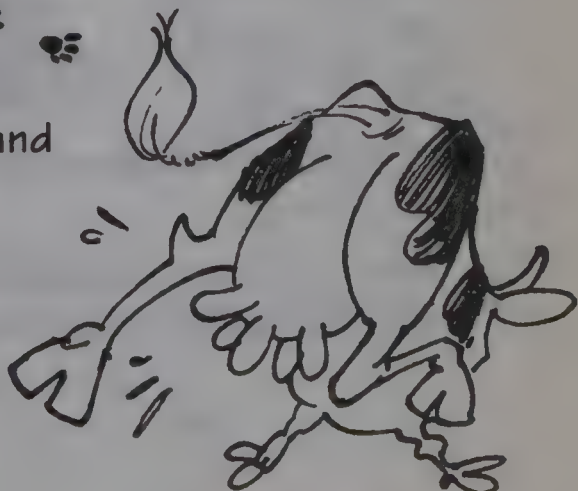
If a dog is tied to a rope 15 feet long, how can it reach a smelly bone 30 feet away?

The rope isn't tied to anything!



What's black and white, and goes moo, moo, splat?

A cow falling over a cliff.



Two policemen in New York were watching King Kong climb up the Empire State Building. One said to the other, "What do you think he's doing?"

"It's obvious," replied his colleague, "he wants to catch a plane."



What do you get if you cross a frog with a decathlete?

Someone who pole vaults without a pole.



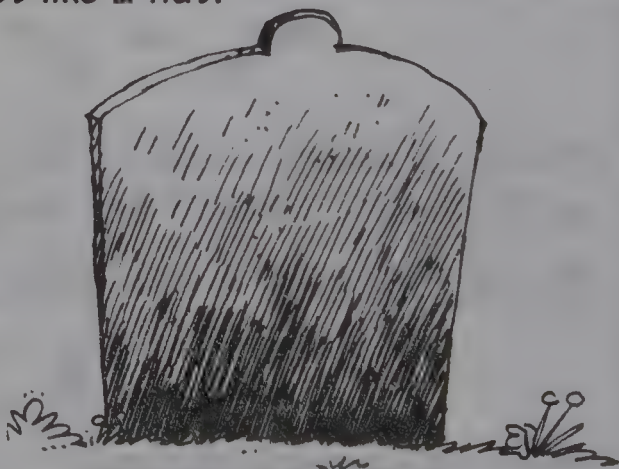
How do you catch a squirrel?

Climb up a tree and act like a nut.



How does a ghost begin a letter?

Tomb it may concern.



Two caterpillars were crawling along a twig when a butterfly flew by.

"You know," said one caterpillar to the other, "when I grow up, you'll never get me in one of those things."

What did one banana say to another?

Let's split!



What do you get if you cross King Kong with a watchdog?

A terrified postman.



"Waiter, this food isn't fit for a pig!"

"All right, I'll get you some that is."



What do you get if you cross a snake with a pig?

A boar constrictor.



What happened when the nasty monster stole a pig?

The pig squealed to the police.



Why was the centipede late?

Because she was playing 'This Little Piggy' with her baby.



Why couldn't the vulture talk to the dove?

Because he didn't speak pigeon English.



What do you get if you cross  
a bee with a skunk?

A creature that stinks  
and stings.



What did the neurotic pig say to the farmer?

You take me for grunted.



Mary: Do you think my sister's pretty?

Gary: Well, let's just say if you pulled her pigtail she'd  
probably say 'oink, oink'!



What's the best thing to put in a pie?

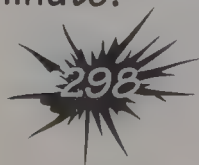
Your teeth.



Clara: "Answer the phone."

Sarah: "But it's not ringing."

Clara: "Why do you always leave everything to the last  
minute?"



Father: You eat like a pig, Edward. Do you know what a pig is?

Edward: Yes, a hog's son.



What do you get if you cross a bee with a skunk?

A creature that stinks and stings.



Peggy: I've just come back from the beauty parlour.

Piggy: Pity it was closed!



What do you get if you cross an octopus with a skunk?

An octopong.



Why did the teacher put corn in his shoes?

Because he had pigeon toes.



What would you get if you crossed King Kong with a skunk?

I don't know but it could always get a seat on a bus!



How many skunks does it take to make a big stink?

A phew!



What do you get if you cross  
a jellyfish with a sheepdog?

Colliewobbles.



Baby Skunk: But, Mum,  
why can't I have a chemistry  
set for my birthday?

Mother: Because it  
would stink the house out,  
that's why.

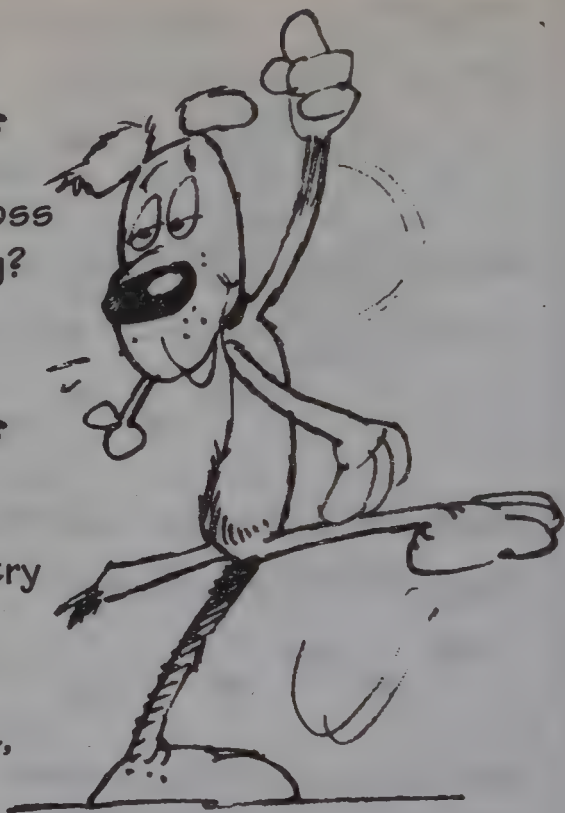


"Please Miss!" said a little boy at kindergarten.

"We're going to play elephants and circuses, do you  
want to join in?"

"I'd love to," said the teacher. "What do you want me  
to do?"

"You can be the lady that feeds us peanuts!"



Three animals were having a drink in a café, when the owner asked for the money.

"I'm not paying," said the duck. "I've only got one bill and I'm not breaking it."

"I've spent my last buck," said the deer.

"Then the duck'll have to pay" said the skunk.

"Getting here cost me my last scent."



What happens if you cross a werewolf with a sheep?

You have to get a new sheep.



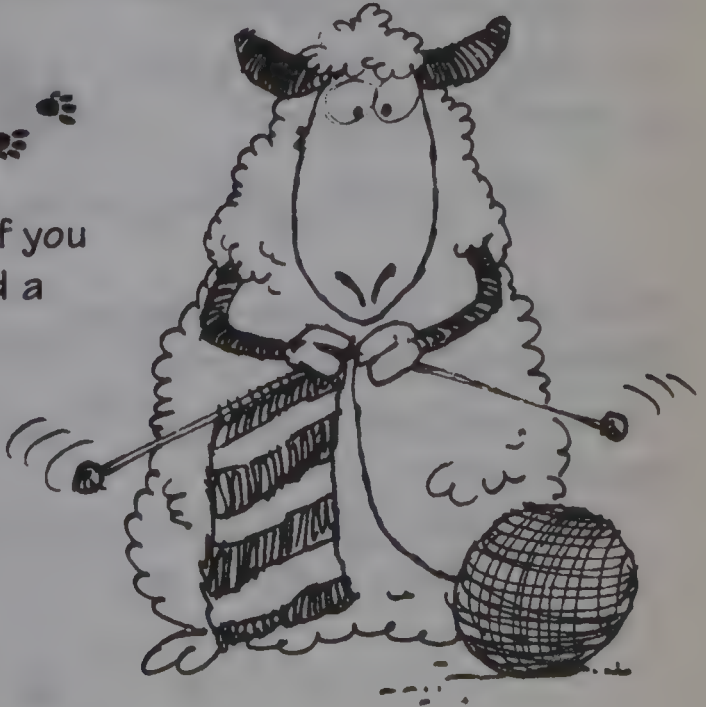
What do you get if you cross a  
sheep dog and a bunch of daisies?

Collie flowers!



What do you get if you  
cross a sheep and a  
rainstorm?

A wet blanket.



Why are skunks always arguing?

'Cos they like to raise a stink.



Doctor, doctor, I've just been sprayed by a skunk.  
Should I put some cream on it?

Well you could. But I doubt if you'll be able to catch it.



What's black and white, pongs and hangs from a line?  
A drip-dry skunk.



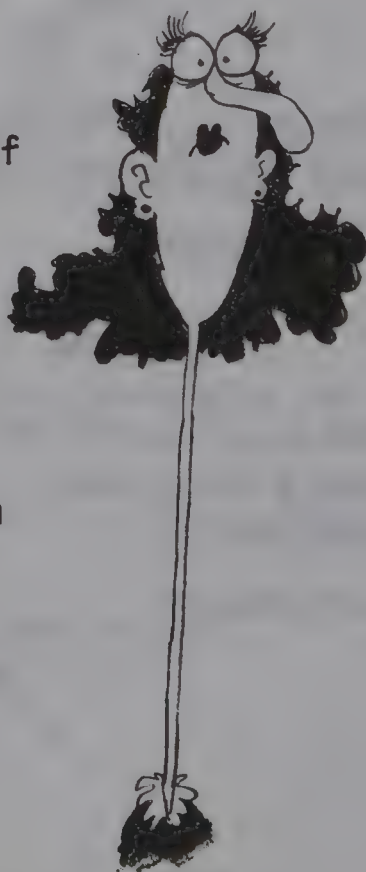
Nosey neighbour: "I throw myself  
into everything I undertake."

Her neighbour: "Well, why not  
go and dig a deep well."



What do you get if you cross an  
elephant with some locusts?

I'm not sure, but if they ever  
swarm, watch out!



What do you get if you cross a worm with an elephant?  
Big holes in your garden.



Why do elephants have trunks?  
Because they don't have glove compartments.



Why doesn't Kermit like elephants?  
They always want to play leap frog with him.



Doctor, doctor, I think I'm  
a dustbin!

Don't talk rubbish.



Tom: What did the banana say to the elephant?

Nik: I don't know.

Tom: Nothing. Bananas can't talk.



What is Smokey the Elephant's middle name?

The.



Why did the elephant put his trunk across the trail?  
To trip up the ants.



What do you get if you cross an elephant with a spider?

I don't know but if it crawled over your ceiling the house would collapse.



What do you get if you cross an elephant with the abominable snowman?

A jumbo yeti.



"Why are you tearing up your homework notebook and scattering the pieces around the playground?" a furious teacher asked one of her pupils.

"To keep the elephants away, Miss."

"There are no elephants."

"Shows how effective it is then, doesn't it?"



What's the best thing to give a seasick elephant?

Plenty of room.



Which animals were the last to leave the ark?  
The elephants – they were packing their trunks.



Anna: "I was top of the class last week."

Mum: "How did you manage that?"

Anna: "I managed to answer a question about elephants."

Mum: "What question?"

Anna: "Well, the teacher asked us how many legs an elephant had, and I said five."

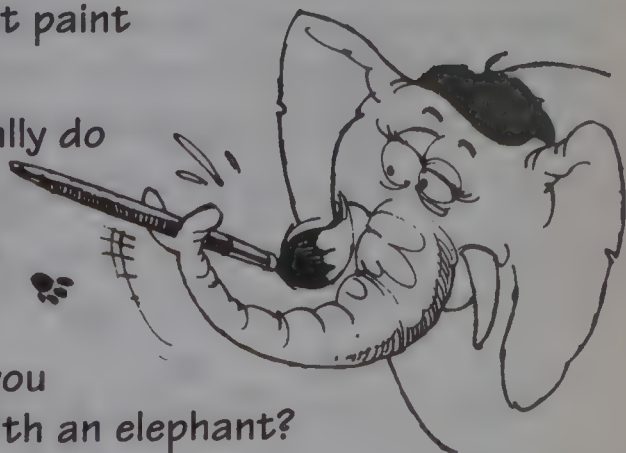
Mum: "But that wasn't right."

Anna: "I know, but it was the nearest anyone got."



Why did the elephant paint  
her head yellow?

To see if blondes really do  
have more fun.



What do you get if you  
cross a caretaker with an elephant?

A twenty-ton school cleaner.



My dad is so shortsighted he can't get to sleep  
unless he counts elephants.



Did you hear about the ogre who threw trunks over cliffs?

Nothing special about that, you might think – but the elephants were still attached.



What do you get if you cross an elephant and peanut butter?

Either peanut butter that never forgets, or an elephant that sticks to the roof of your mouth.



An elephant ran away from a circus and ended up in a little old lady's back garden. Now she had never seen an elephant before, so she rang the police.

"Please come quickly," she said to the policeman who answered the phone. "There's a strange looking animal in my garden picking up cabbages with its tail."

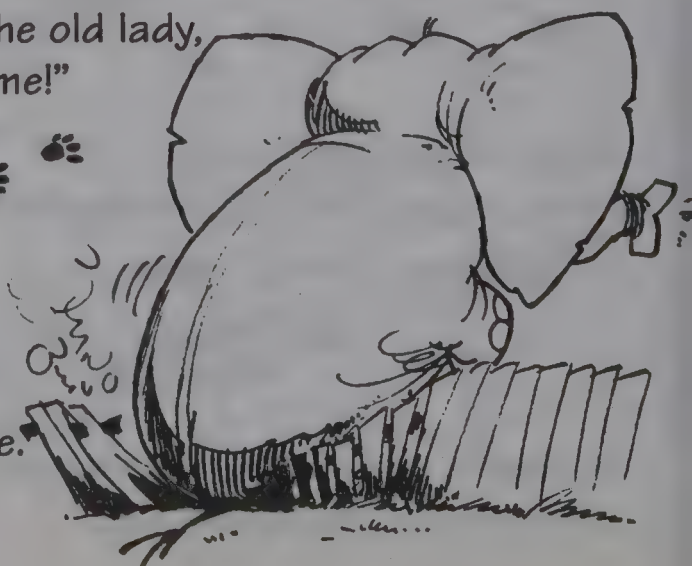
"What's it doing with them?" asked the policeman.

"If I told you," said the old lady, "you'd never believe me!"



What did the grape do when the elephant sat on it?

It let out a little wine.



How does an elephant go up a tree?

It stands on an acorn and waits for it to grow.



Is the squirt from an elephant's trunk very powerful?

Of course – a jumbo jet can keep 500 people in the air for hours at a time.



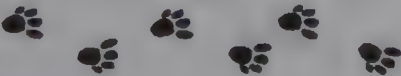
Visitor: Wow, you have a lot of flies buzzing round your horses and cows. Do you ever shoo them?

Rancher: No, we just let them go barefoot.



Doctor: "You have acute pulmonary infection."

Big man: "Don't try to get fresh with me, just tell me what's wrong with me!"



What happened when the ghostly cows got out of their field?

There was udder chaos.



Why can't a car play football?

It's only got one boot.

Dim Dinah wrote in her exercise book: Margarine is butter made from imitation cows.



What is cowhide most used for?

Holding cows together.



What do you get if you cross a hedgehog with a giraffe?

A long-necked toothbrush.



What do we get from naughty cows?

Bad milk.



Joe: "Did you ever see a horse fly?"

Pete: "No, but I once saw a cow jump off a cliff."



Did you hear about the headless horseman who got a job in a department store?

He's the head buyer.



What would happen if tarantulas were as big as horses?

If one bit you, you could ride it to hospital.



"What did the doctor say to you yesterday?" asked the teacher.

"He said I was allergic to horses."

"I've never heard of anyone suffering from that. What's the condition called?"

"Bronco-itis".



When my girlfriend goes out riding, she looks like part of the horse.

When she dismounts, she still looks like part of the horse.



The box office clerk at the theatre went to the manager's office to tell him that there were two horses in the foyer.

"Two horses?" exclaimed the manager in surprise.

"What on earth do they want?"

"Two stalls for Monday night."



What is pretty and delicate and carries a submachine gun?

A killer butterfly.



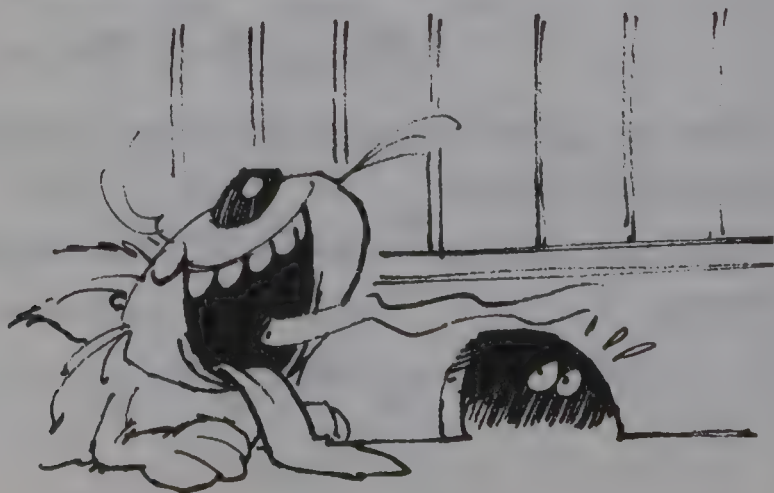
Why is a frog luckier than a cat?

Because a frog croaks all the time and a cat only croaks nine times.



What's a rat's least favorite record?

"What's up  
Pussycat".



What does an educated owl say?

To whit, to whom.



What do you get if you cross a long-fanged, purple-spotted monster with a cat?

A town that is free of dogs.



How do you catch King Kong?

Hang upside down and make a noise like a banana.



What do you get if you cross King Kong with a frog?

A gorilla that catches airplanes with its tongue.



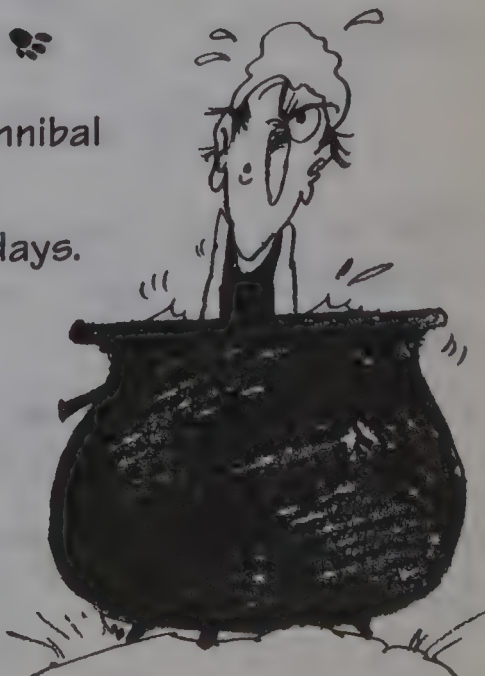
What happened when the cannibal got religious?

He only ate Catholics on Fridays.



What happened when  
a cannibal went on a  
self-catering holiday?

He ate himself.



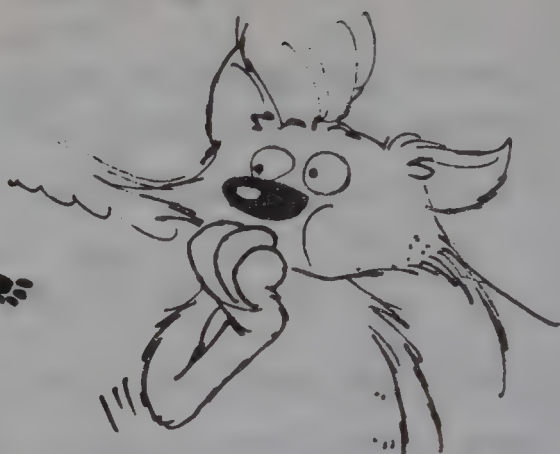
What has six legs and flies?

A witch giving her cat a lift.



Why did the witch climb  
Nelson's Column?

To get her cat back.



Why are black cats such  
good singers?

They're very mewsical.



What do you call it when a witch's cat falls off her  
broomstick?

A catastrophe.



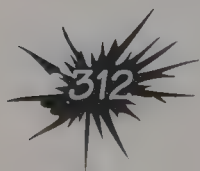
What do you get if you cross a cat with Father  
Christmas?

Santa Claws.



How do you get milk from a witch's cat?

Steal her saucer.



What do you get if you cross a witch's cat with a canary?

A peeping tom.



What is an octopus?

An eight-sided cat.



What did the black cat say to the fish head?

I've got a bone to pick with you.



What do you call a cat that drinks vinegar?

A sour puss.



What has four legs, a tail, whiskers and flies?

A dead witch's cat.



"Can you type?"

"Not very well, but I can rub out at 50 words a minute."



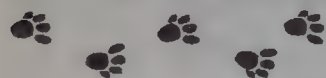
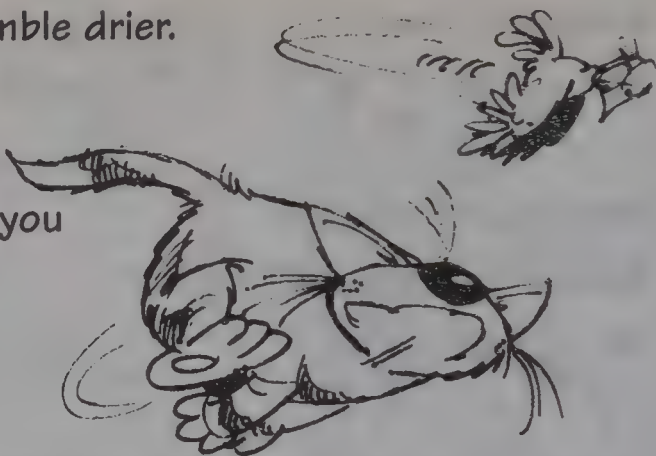
What has four legs, a tail, whiskers and goes round and round for hours?

A black cat in a tumble drier.



What do you get if you cross a cat and a canary?

A cat with a full tummy.



What do you call a cat with no legs?

Anything you like, she won't be able to come anyway.



What is a black cat's favourite TV program?

Miami Mice.



What's furry, has whiskers and chases outlaws?

A posse cat.



What do witches' cats strive for?

Purr-fecttion.

What do you call a witch's cat who can  
spring from the ground to her  
mistress's hat in one leap?

A good jum-purr.



What do you call a witch's cat who  
can do spells as well as her mistress?

An ex-purr-t.



A wizard who's as bald as a bat  
Spilt hair tonic over the mat.  
It's grown so much higher,  
He can't see the fire  
And he thinks that it's smothered his cat.



What did the zombie get his medal for?

Deadication.



There once was a very strong cat  
Who had a fight with a bat.  
The bat flew away  
And at the end of the day  
The cat had a scrap with a rat.



What did Dracula say to the Wolfman?

'You look like you're going to the dogs.'



Why was the cannibal looking peeky?

Because he'd just eaten a Chinese dog.



Emm: "What's the name of your dog?"

Nik: "Ginger."

Emm: "Does Ginger bite?"

Nik: "No, but Ginger snaps."



Mother: "Keep that dog out of the house, it's full of fleas."

Son: "Keep out of the house, Fido, it's full of fleas."



What did the clean dog say to the insect?

"Long time no flea!"



What's the difference between fleas and dogs?

Dogs can have fleas but fleas can't have dogs.



What's the name of the opera about a mouse and a flea?

Der Fleadermouse.



What is the definition of a narrow squeak?

A thin mouse.



Jim: "Our dog is just like one of the family."

Fred: "Which one?"



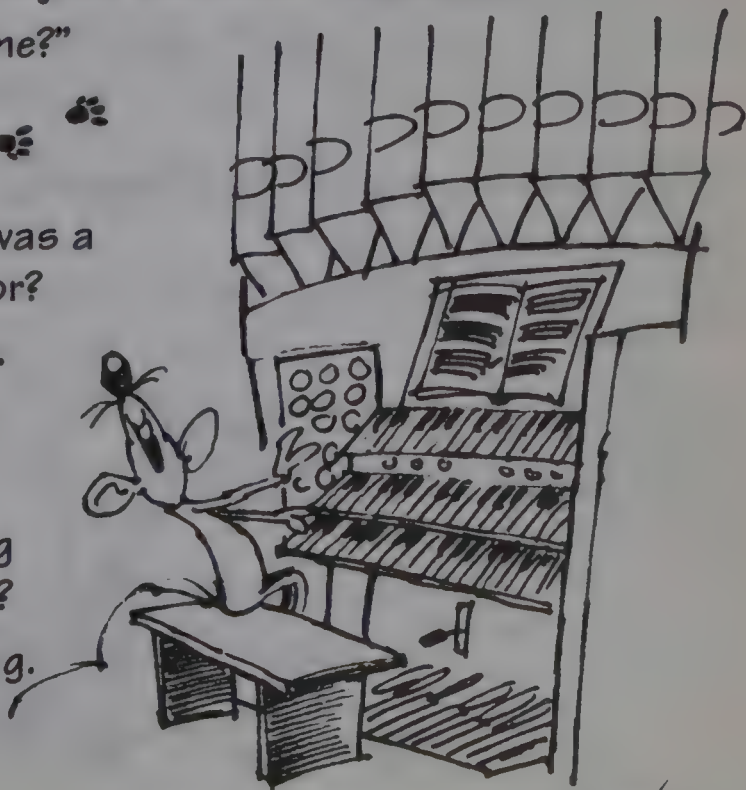
Which mouse was a Roman emperor?

Julius Cheeser.



Who is the king of all the mice?

Mouse Tse Tung.



What is the strongest animal in the world?

A snail, because it carries its home on its back.



What do you do when two snails have a fight?

Leave them to slug it out.



What is the definition of a slug?

A snail with a housing problem.



What was the snail doing on the highway?

About one mile a day.



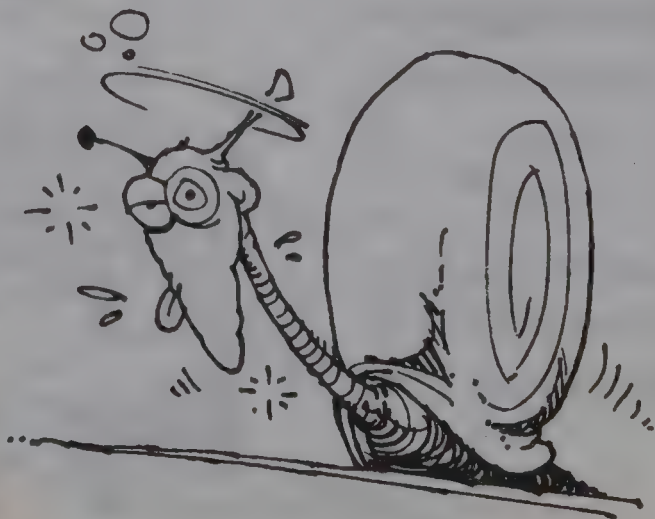
How do snails get their shells all shiny?

They use snail varnish.



What gas do  
snails prefer?

Shell.



What lives in apples and  
is an avid reader?

A bookworm.



One woodworm met another.

"How's life?" she asked.

"Oh, same as usual," he replied, "boring."

What do you call a rich frog?

A gold-blooded reptile.

Why is it difficult to hold a conversation with a goat?  
It always butts in.

What do headmasters and bullfrogs have in  
common?

Both have a big head that consists mostly of mouth.

Why didn't the piglet listen to his father?

Because he was such an old boar.

What has four legs but can't walk?

Two pairs of trousers.



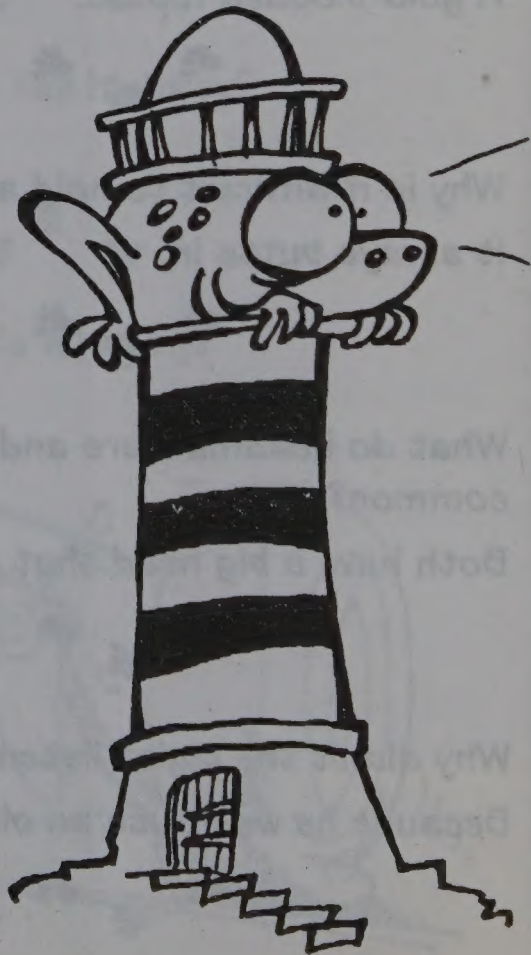
Every day my dog and I go for a tramp in the woods.

I bet the tramps are getting a bit fed up.



Why did the toad become  
a lighthouse keeper?

He had his own frog-horn.



What do you call  
a crazy Spaceman?  
An astronaut.

Are you a  
light sleeper?  
No. I sleep in  
the dark.

Why did the  
idiot sleep under  
his car?  
So he would  
wake up oily  
in the morning.

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